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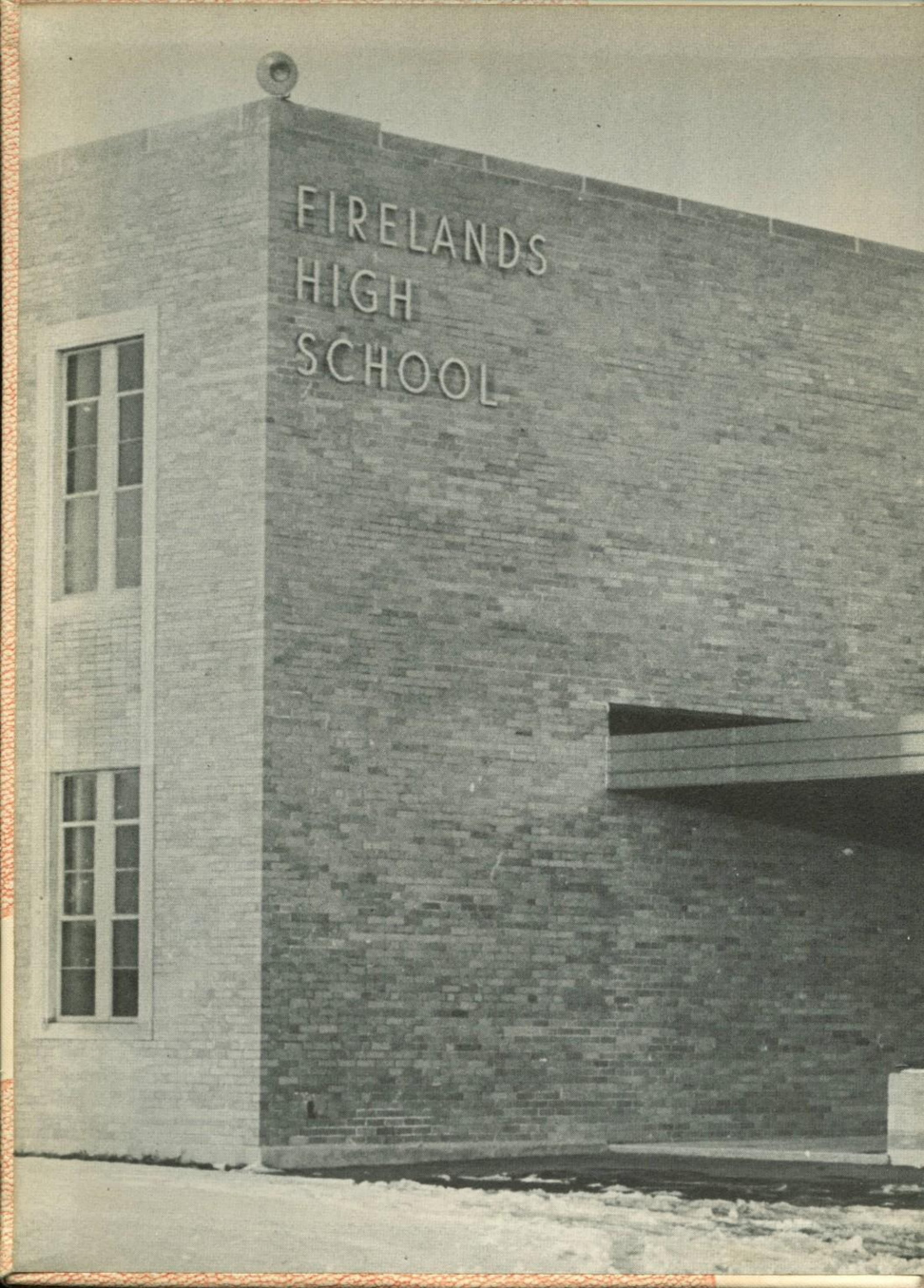
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Foreword

The 1956 TORCH will try to outline all the happenings for the years 1955 and 1956. When Time has stolen our years and we are no longer youthful, we hope its pages help you to recall all the smiles and tears—all the images of well known places and events at Firelands Schools.

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Dedication

The Journalism Class wishes to dedicate this Torch to the students of Firelands High School.

A school is not just a building, teachers, students, activities, athletics, or even ideals, but all go together to make a school. And you, as students have played a large part in setting the standards and building the reputation of Firelands.

To most of you this was just another school year, a step nearer graduation, but to the graduating class this year was a culmination, and like a short story the conclusion followed quickly the climax.

To all of you, we dedicate this book with the hope that in years to come it will help you to recall some of the happiest and most carefree days of your life.

Steve Howe leads students and teachers in saying the "Pledge."

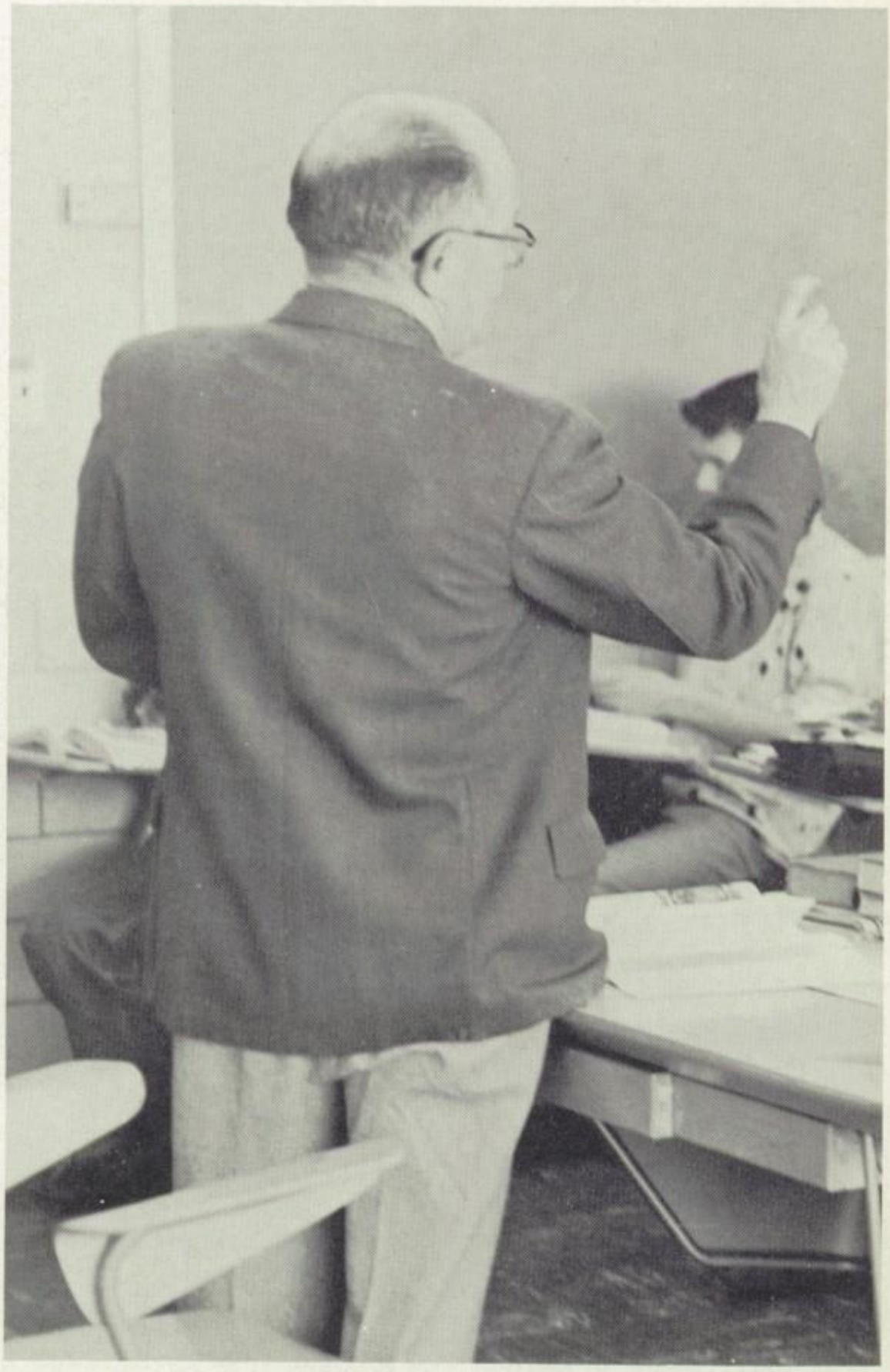
When time who steals our years away
Shall steal our pleasures too,
The memory of the past will stay
And half our joys renew.
—Moore

During The Year

Sept. 6 . . . . . School Opened
Sept. 12 . . . . . Classes Organized
Sept. 21 . . . . . Booster Club Fun Festival
Oct. 1 . . . . . Ohio Turnpike Opened
Oct. 21 . . . . . NEOTA & JAOS
Nov. 5 . . . . . WHKK Jamboree—Spons. by Juniors
Nov. 7 . . . . . Football Banquet
Nov. 14 . . . . . Lorain County Teachers' Workshop
Nov 24-25 . . . . . Thanksgiving Vacation
Dec. 3 . . . . . Seniors Presented *Brother Goose*
Dec. 11 . . . . . Firelands Area Christmas Program
Dec. 16—Jan. 3 . . . . . Christmas Vacation
Dec. 27-28 . . . . . Sr. & Jr. Hi. Parties—Spons. by PTA
Jan. 19-20 . . . . . Semester Examinations
Feb. 11 . . . . . Valentine Dance—Spons. by PTA Music Club
Feb. 17—Mar. 5 . . . . . Basketball Tournaments
Feb 21—Mar. 6 . . . . . Subscription Campaign for *Torch*
Mar. 6 . . . . . Dairymen's Banquet
Mar. 21 . . . . . Student Activity Night
Mar. 29—Apr. 3 . . . . . Eastern Vacation
Apr. 3-5 . . . . . Seniors Visit Washington D.C.
Apr. 11 . . . . . LCEA Spring Banquet at Firelands
Apr. 17 . . . . . Basketball Banquet
Apr. 24 . . . . . Band Concert
Apr. 27-28 . . . . . Jr. Hi. Presented *Danger-Willie at Work*
Apr. 30 . . . . . FHA Initiation
May 5 . . . . . Scholarship Tests at Baldwin-Wallace
May 11 . . . . . Field Day and Parade of Bands
May 12 . . . . . Junior-Senior Dinner-Dance
May 17 . . . . . FFA Awards and Parents' Night
May 18 . . . . . Spring Music Festival
May 20 . . . . . Senior Vespers and Faculty Reception
May 21 . . . . . Spring Sports Banquet
May 23-24 . . . . . Final Examinations
May 23 . . . . . High School Commencement
May 24 . . . . . Eighth Grade Promotion
May 29 . . . . . Report Cards
June 9 . . . . . First Firelands Alumni Banquet

Besides these events were the athletic events, field trips, issues of the newspaper, and the many club sponsored activities.

Ohio Turnpike.—Yea, Firelands!— Mr. Howe presents award.—The dear old evergreen.—Winning another game.—County tourney champs.—Mr. Matheny presents Stanley with freshman basketball award.—Dancing at Junior-Senior Dinner-Dance.



The teacher is like the candle which lights others in consuming itself.

—Ruffini.

ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY

SEATED: Willis Wasem, Martha Baumann, Viola Lees, *Clerk*, Paul Knott, *President*. *STANDING:* James Ehrman, *Supt.*, George Reinhard, Howard Born.

Firelands Board Of Education

A great school is very trying; it can never present images of rest and peace.

—D. T. Arnold.

SUPERINTENDENT

JAMES H. EHRMAN, A.B., M.A.

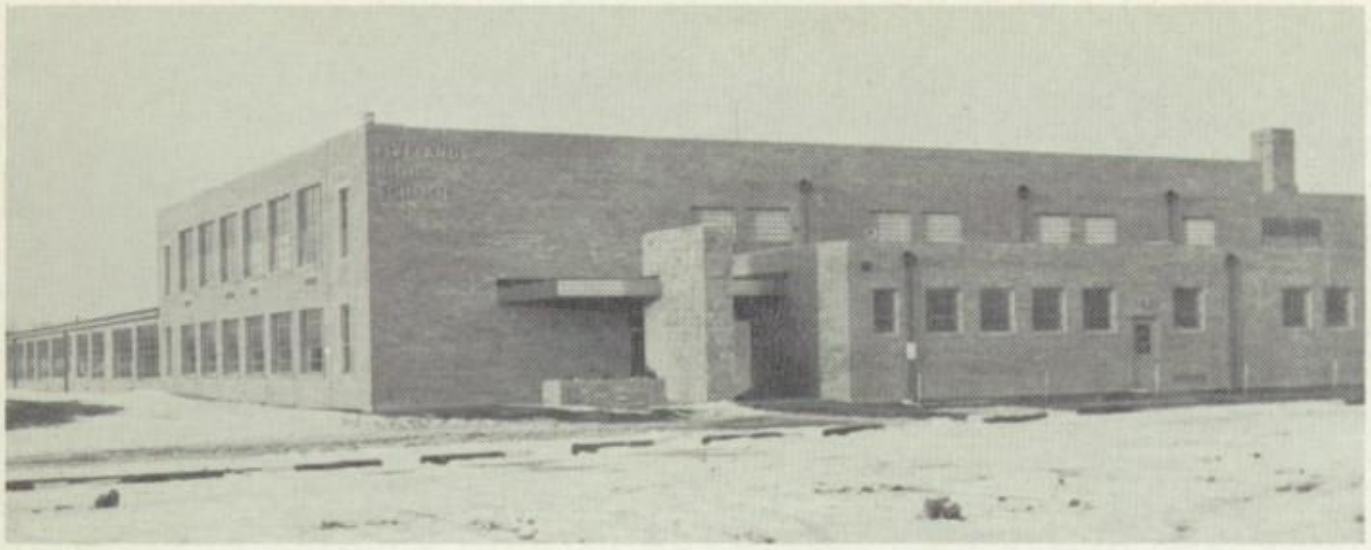
PRINCIPAL

FRED R. MATHENY, B.S., M.A.

STUDENT COUNCIL

SCHOOL SECRETARY

BETTY BAKER



Firelands High School

CONSTANCE CHAMPION, B.S.
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Girls' Athletic Association

ANTHONY DE GENNARO, B.S., M.A.
MATHEMATICS
Chess and Checker Club, Films
Senior Class Adviser

ROXY DILLON, B.S.
HOME ECONOMICS
Future Homemakers of America
Freshman Class Adviser

ELOISE FOWLER, B.S., M.A.
ENGLISH, SPANISH
Guidance, Dramatics
Freshman Class Adviser

LOWELL GATTS, B.S., M.A.
GENERAL SCIENCE, BIOLOGY, CONSERVATION
Wrestling, Softball
Junior Class Adviser

MARJORIE HOWE, B.S.
VOCAL MUSIC
Mixed Chorus

NELSON T. HOWE, B.S., M.A.
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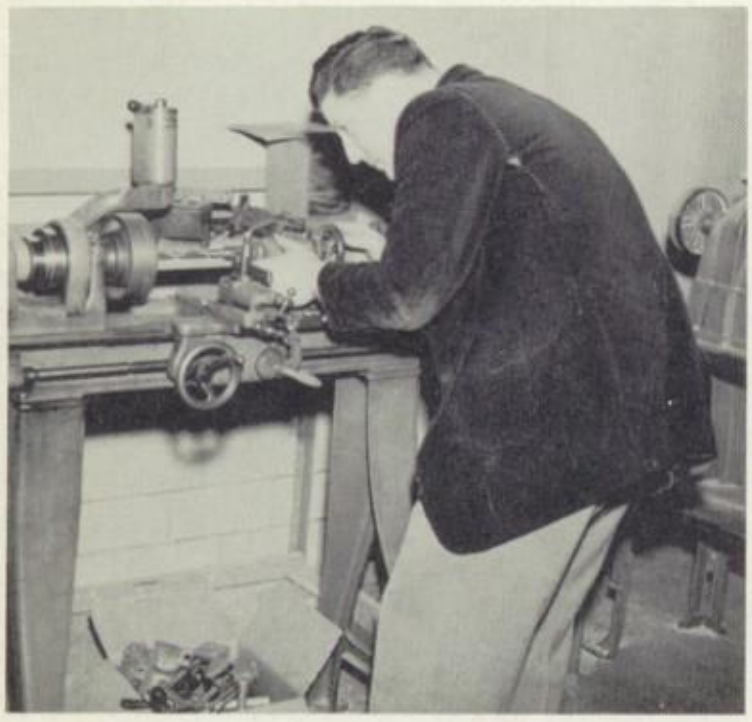
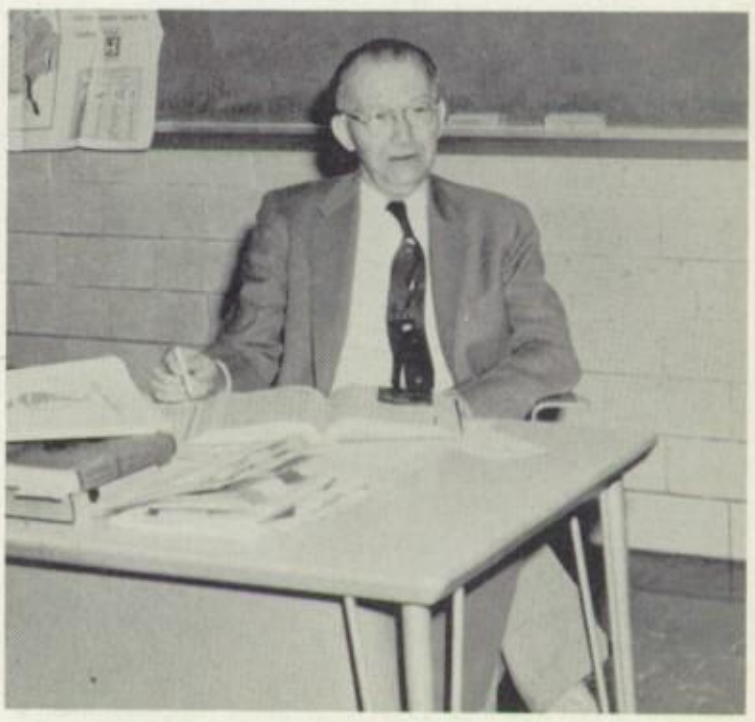
Six-Man Football, Track, Scholarship Team
Senior Class Adviser



JAMES KOLLMAN, B.S.
INDUSTRIAL ARTS
Eleven-Man Football, Reserve Basketball
Sophomore Class Adviser

MARGERY MAY, B.S.
ARTS AND CRAFTS

FRANCIS MILLER, B.S.
VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE
Future Farmers of America
Freshman Class Adviser



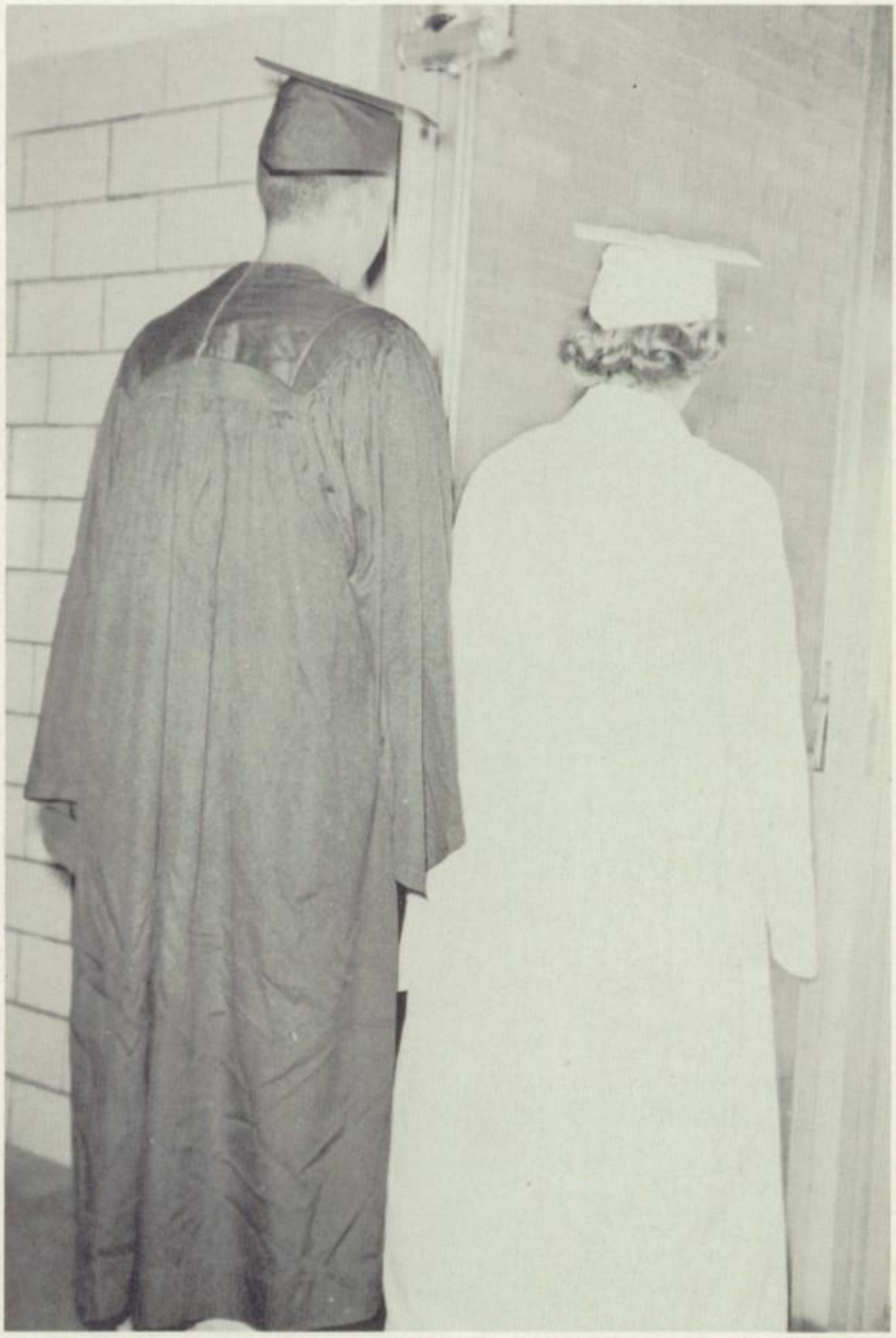
CARL ROBART, B.A., M.A.
HISTORY, ECONOMICS, GOVERNMENT
School Store, Book Room
Junior Class Adviser

JAMES E. SEIPLE, B.S.
PHYSICAL EDUCATION, DRIVER TRAINING
Varsity Basketball, Track, Rifle Club
Sophomore Class Adviser

EDWARD SMITH, B.S.
INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
Band, Ensembles

RUTH WALLACE, B.S.
TYPING, SHORTHAND, BOOKKEEPING, OFFICE PRACTICE
Commercial Club
Senior Class Adviser

MARY E. WILSON, B.S.
ENGLISH, LIBRARIAN
School Publications Adviser
Sophomore Class Adviser



This above all: to thine own self be true,
And it must follow, as night the day,
Thou canst not then be false to any man.
—Shakespeare.

SENIORS

Seniors Visit Washington D. C.

Nation's capitol.—Seniors leave capitol.—See dress parade at Annapolis.—Dancing in lobby of Hotel Houston.

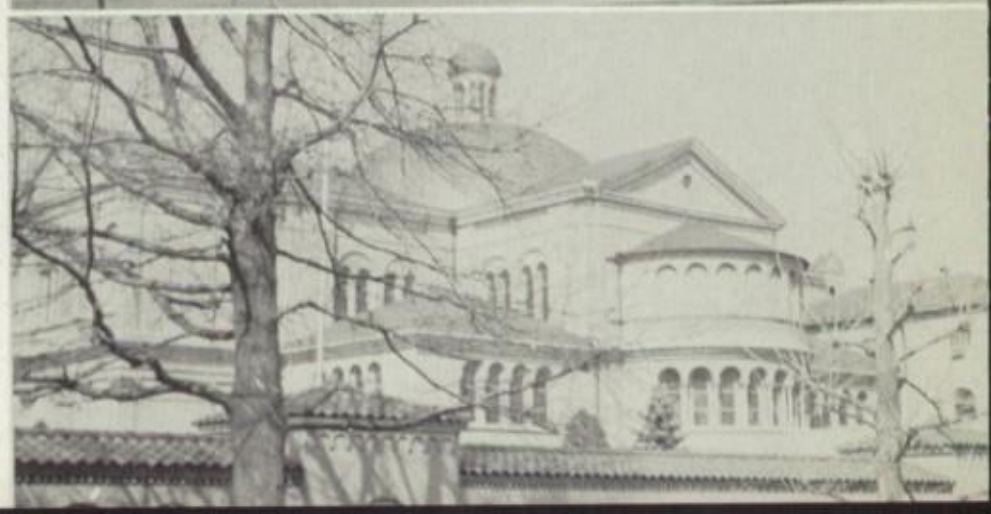
We learn today; we build tomorrow.
— Class Motto.

The seniors, accompanied by Mr. Matheny, Mr. Howe, and Mrs. Wallace, visited in Washington D.C. April 3-5. During the trip via Gettysburg on a chartered bus visits were made to many interesting and historic spots.

May 12 the juniors honored the seniors with a dinner-dance which ended with breakfast at school. Following the dinner and dancing the group saw a movie at Amherst Theater.

Graduation came in May with vespers held the evening of May 20 with the Reverend E. Harriman of the Camden Baptist Church as speaker and commencement, May 23, with the Reverend C. Umhau Wolf of the Toledo Lutheran Church delivering the address.

Tomb of unknown soldier.—Where Lincoln died.—Franciscan Monastery.



Senior Class Officers

LEWIS FREDRIC MEYER
President
Humbleness is always grace, always dignity.
Class Officer 2,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2, 3,4; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2; Slide Rule Club 4; FFA 3,4.

JAMES LOUIS HORVATH
News Reporter and Student Council
Let every man be master of his time.
Class Officer 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 2,4; Camera Club 3.

JOHN ALBERT MARKWORTH
Vice-President
Crabbed age and youth cannot live together.
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2, 3,4; Class Officer 2,4; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Student Council 2; FFA 1,2; Camera Club 3.

STEPHEN NOEL HOWE
Student Council
The ripest peach is highest on the tree.
Band 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 1,3,4; Football 3,4; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3, 4; Student Council 4; Class Play 4.

SANDRA JEAN RESAR
Secretary and Student Council
My heart is fixed.
Elyria H. S. 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1; Sports Clubs 1,2,3; Class Officer 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Student Council 4; GAA 4.

DONNA LEE NORTHEIM
Student Council
A fair exterior is a silent recommendation.
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,2,3; Majorette 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 1,2; Student Council 3,4; Softball 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; GAA 3,4.

MARGUERITE LOU VARGO
Treasurer
Dress is an index of your contents.
Class Officer 2,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2, 3,4; Commercial Club 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Softball 1, 2; Home Nursing 1; FTA 4.

MYRON VERNON BECKER

His smile goes a mile.

Basketball 1,2; Class Officer 2; Baseball 1,2,4; FFA 3; Track 1; Class Play 1; Rifle 4.

GLENDA MARIE BERKMEYER

The future is purchased by the present.

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2; Class Officer 2; Class Play 1,4; Commercial Club 3,4; GAA 3,4; Newspaper Staff 2,4; Yearbook Staff 4.

MARY JEAN BRADLEY

Love's like virtue, its own reward.

Cheerleader 2,3; Majorette 1,2; Class Plays 2,4; Class Officer 1; Mixed Chorus 1,2; GAA 1,2,3,4; Yearbook Staff 3; Commercial Club 4; Newspaper Staff 3.

JOAN DARLENE BUCHS

A still, small voice.

Brackenridge H.S., San Antonio, Texas 2,3; Girls Chorus 2; Band 2,3,4; Commercial Club 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Yearbook Staff 4.

JUNE DONICE BUCHS

Softness of smile indicates a softness of character.

Brackenridge H. S., San Antonio, Texas 2,3; Girls' Chorus 2; Band 2,3,4; Commercial Club 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Yearbook 4.

ELAINE ELENORE CAJKA

"A light heart lives long."

Class Officer 1,2,3; Class Play 1,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,2,3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 1,2,3,4; Yearbook Staff 3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,4; GAA 3,4.

SALLY ANN CAMERA

If music be the food of love, play on.

Class Officer 1,2; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,2; Majorette 2; Commercial Club 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Newspaper Staff 4; GAA 3,4.

DENNIS RUBEN CARVER

To a young heart everything is fun.

Football 3,4; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2,4; Track 1,4; Wrestling 4.

DANIEL ELDEN EDGAR

A man after his own heart.

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Chess Club 2,3,4; Class Play 4.

CLAYTON ELDRED CLINE

The difficulty in life is the choice.

Baseball 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Football 3; FFA 1,2, 3,4; Class Officer 1,2; Camera Club 3; Wrestling 4.

PATRICIA LU FOX

It is good to live and learn.

Elyria H. S. 1,2; Y-Teens 1; Mixed Chorus 1; Newspaper Staff 4; Commercial Club 3,4; Yearbook Staff 4.

CAROL ANN FLETCHER

Life is less than nothing without love.

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Class Play 4; Class Officer 2; Track 1,2; Commercial Club 3,4; GAA 3,4.

SHARON MAE GREEN

Given to hospitality.

Mixed Chorus 1,2; Band 1,2,3; GAA 1,2,3; Newspaper Staff 3; Commercial Club 3,4; Home Nursing 1.

WARREN HAYES GERMAN

Scared out of his seven senses.

Basketball 1,2; FFA 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Student Council 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 1,2; Class Play 4.

GEORGE ANDREW GVIST

Be sure you are right then go ahead.

Football 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Chess Club 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 2.

HAROLD LYNN GRESZLER

Agreed to differ.

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2; Track 1,2.

DOUGLAS PARD HALE

I have other fish to fry.

Mixed Chorus 1,2; FFA 1,2; Track 3; Football 1, 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Yearbook 3; Wrestling 4.

RUDOLPH GREGORY HARSAR

I took to my heels as fast as I could.

Basketball 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3, 4; FFA 1,2; Rifle Club Pres. 4.

JOAN CATHERINE HEIDRICH

Kind words are the music of the world.

Mixed Chorus 1,2; Majorette 3,4; Softball 2,4; Commercial Club 3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Home Nursing 1.

SHIRLEY MAE HUNT

Imagination is the eye of the soul.

Home Nursing 1,3; FHA 1,2; Mixed Chorus 1,2; Class News Reporter 2; Newspaper Staff 1,2,4; Hobby Club 4; Yearbook Staff 4.

ELAINE CLAIRE HUSTED

'Tis neither here nor there.

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,3,4; Newspaper Staff 4; Yearbook 4; Home Nursing 1; Track 2,3,4.

LAWRENCE RICHARD KELLING

Studious to please, yet not ashamed to fail.

FFA 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 4; Yearbook Staff 4.

CAROL JEAN LANG

Trouble if we love and trouble if we don't love.

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2; Class President 2; Commercial Club 3,4; GAA 1,2,3; Home Nursing 1.

RICHARD JAMES LOGAN

I did not care one straw.

Football 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3, 4; FFA 1,2; Football Manager 3.

KAY MARGARET McDOWELL

"Love is a beautiful dream."

Commercial Club 3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Softball 1,2; Track 1; Home Nursing 2.

CHARLES WILSON MANNING

"A gentleman makes no noise."

Football Manager 4; Basketball Manager 2.

BETTY JANE MILLER

"Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well."

Band 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 1,2; Newspaper Staff 2,4; Yearbook Staff 4; Class Play 4; G. A. A. 4; F. T. A. 4.

DALE BACON McQUEEN

"Each man reaps on his own farm."

Basketball 1,2,4; Football 3,4; F. F. A. 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2.

GLENNA JEAN OPPERMAN

"I'm just going to leap into the dark."

Home Nursing 1,3; Mixed Chorus 1,2; F. H. A. 1,2; Yearbook Staff 3; School Store 4.

JAMES ARTHUR MORGAN

"Love prefers twilight to daylight."

Class President 1,2; Class Vice President 3; F. F. A. 1,2,3,4; F. F. A. Officer 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Football 3,4.

MONTIE RICHARD RATLIFF

"He travels with his eyes."

Class Officer 1; Newspaper Staff 1,4; Year Book Staff 4; Football 1; Baseball 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4.

CAROL YVONNE PETE

"With mirth and laughter, let all wrinkles come."

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3; Cheerleader 2; Commercial Club 3,4; Class Officer 2; G. A. A. 1,2, 3; Softball 1,2; Home Nursing 1.

FRANK HENRY SCHOLL
"Stately and tall he moves."
Basketball 1,2,3,4; F. F. A. 1,2,4.

WAYNE HARLAN SCHRAMM
"Money is a necessity, so is dirt."
Football 3,4; F. F. A. 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1; Rifle Club 4; Camera Club 3.

RAYMOND PAUL SMARR
"He who sings frightens away his ills."
Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2,4; Track 1,2; Wrestling 4; F. F. A. 2.

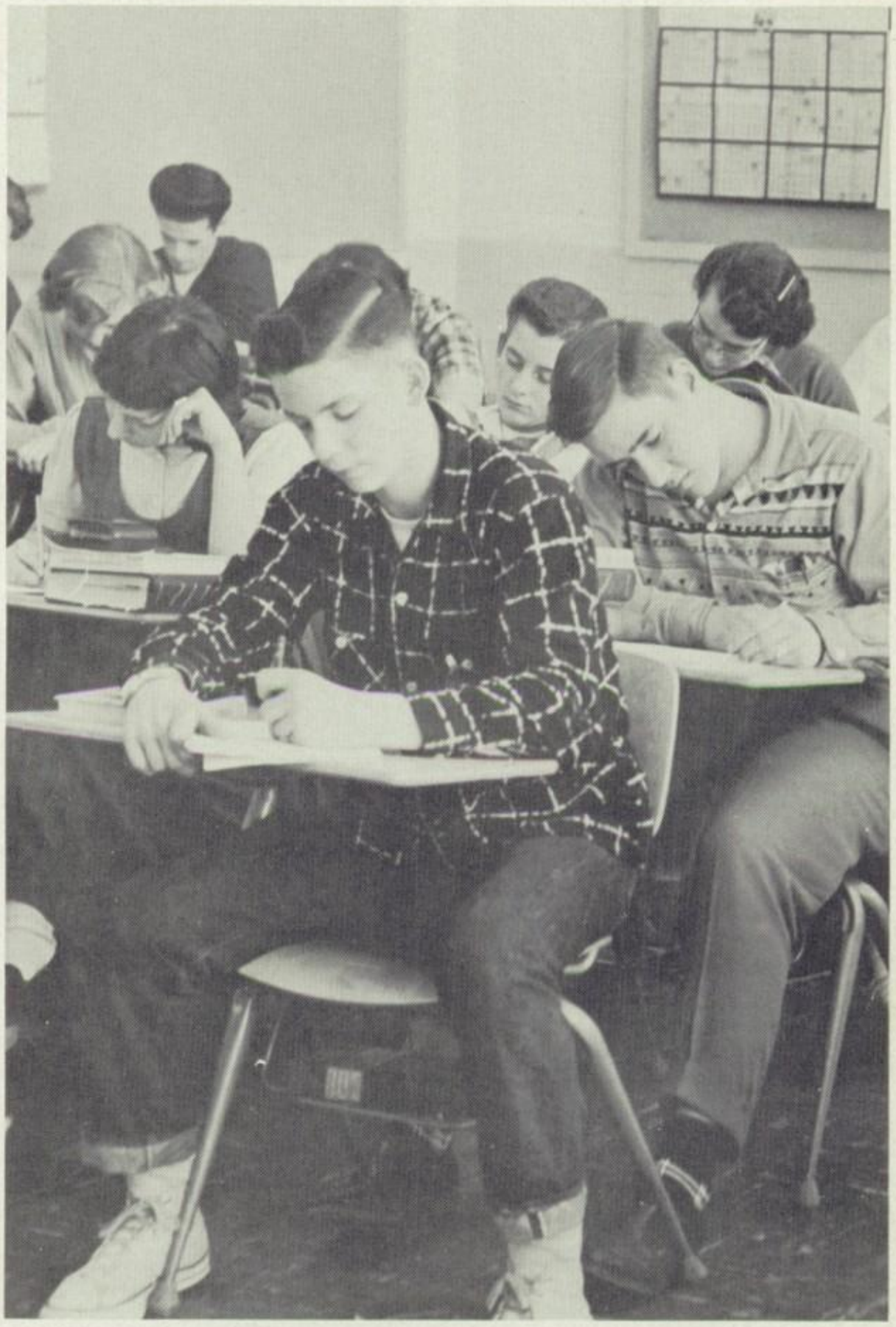
CHARLES RICHARD SMITH
"Our content is our best having."
Georgetown H. S. 1; Vermilion H. S. 2; Footbaal 4; Track 3; F. F. A. 1.

RICHARD EUGENE SNIDER
"He is the very pine-apple of politeness."
Student Council 3,4—Pres. 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 3; Basketball 1,2; F. F. A. 1,2; Chess Club 3.

CAROLYN ANN SUMMERS
"A merry heart doeth good like medicine."
Softball 1,2,3,4; F. H. A. 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2; Cheerleader 2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 1,2,3,4; Yearbook Staff 4.

JANCIE MARIE VIRAG
"My own thoughts are my companions."
Class Officer 1,2; Class Play 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; G. A. A. 1,3,4; F. H. A. 4; Commercial Club 3.

JAMES IRVIN WOODRUM
"Saying is one thing, doing another."
Rifle Club 4; F. F. A. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2.



Knowledge is boundless,—human capacity, limited.—Chamfort.

UNDERCLASSMEN

Classes Organize For Action

Men are polished, through act and speech,
Each by each.
As pebbles are smoothed on the rolling beach.
—Trowbridge..

Here at Firelands the underclassmen made their presence felt not only in the large number in classes but also in their many activities.

During the basketball season each class assisted with concessions. The sophomores sold popcorn and the freshmen sold potato chips, both of which helped to increase the want for a cold drink which the juniors had on hand.

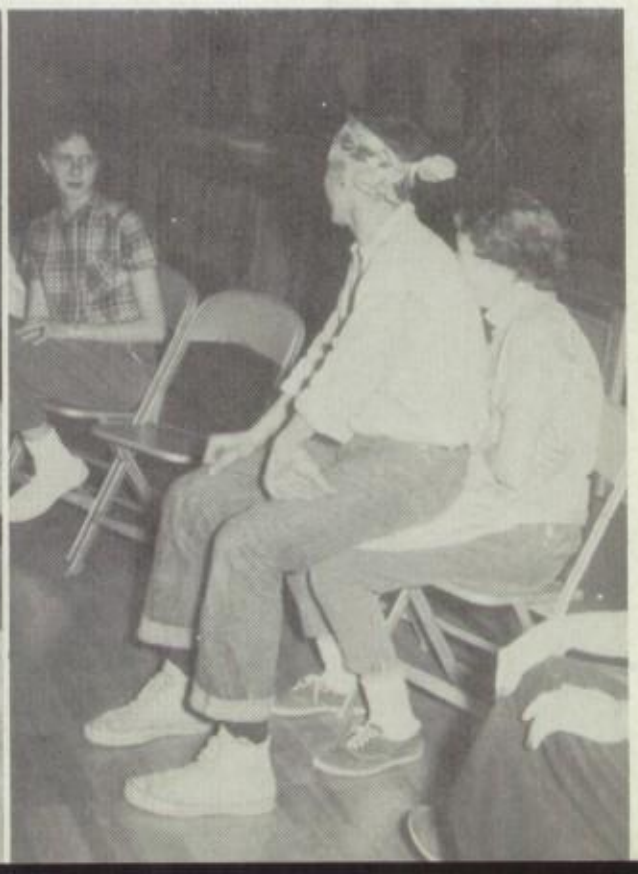
To aid in the raising of funds for the Junior-Senior Dinner-Dance the juniors sold Christmas cards and sponsored a radio show. The Dinner-Dance which was held in May was a wonderful success.

The sophomores, with an eye to the future, worked on their treasury while having fun at skating parties at the Elyria Roll Arena and a class party at school. One of their more lucrative money projects was the sale of Mary Lee Candies.

The freshmen, being greater in number and new at F. H. S., learned their ways about and are looking forward to being sophisticated sophomores.

The freshmen sold FHS letters that could be worn on school clothing.

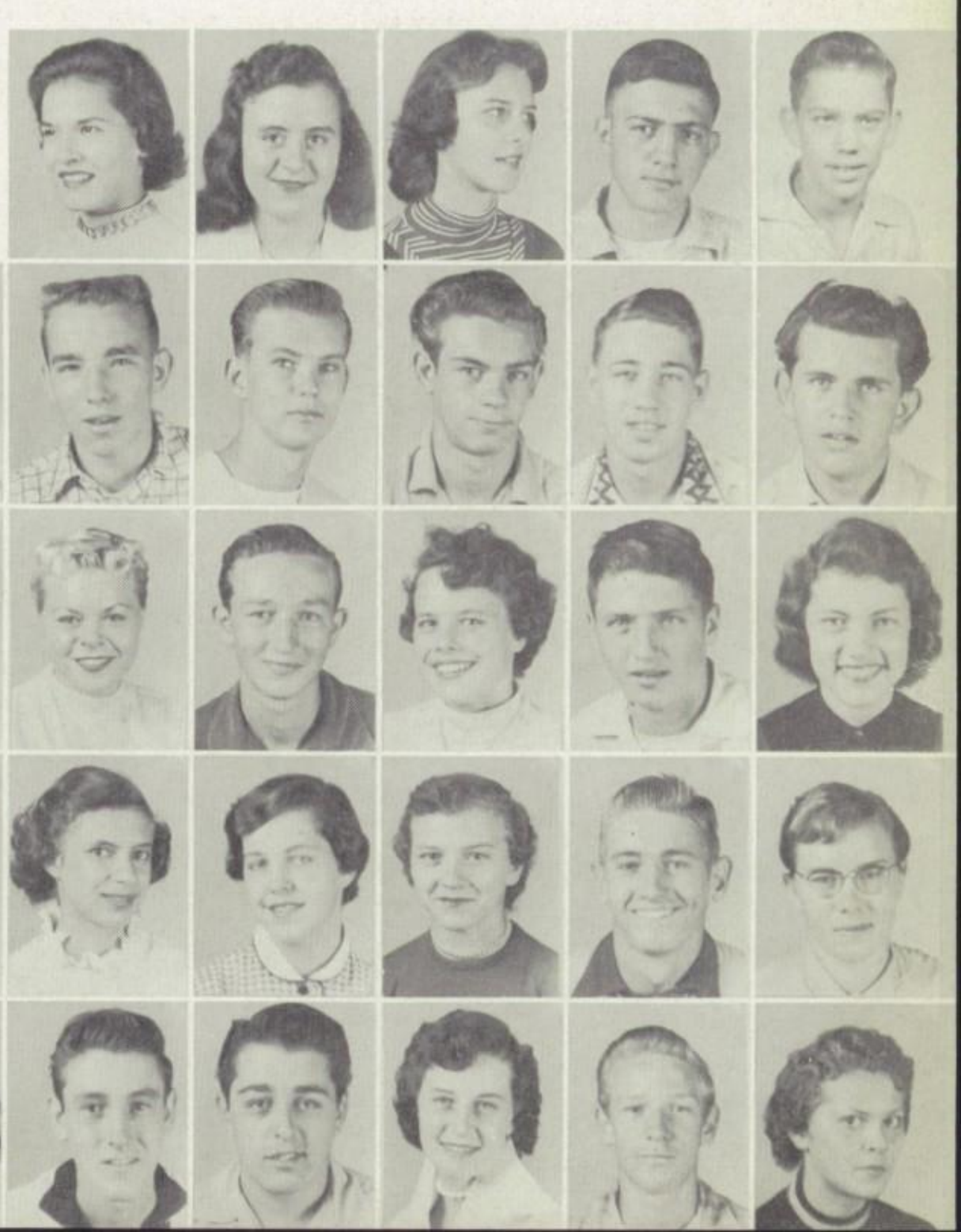
Bob Baumann sells Stanley Brumby potato chips—Don Lewis and John Born see popcorn—Freshmen enjoy pop—Tom Currier clean up pop bottles—Marilyn Born spins Marvin Fannin—Marvin, she's Margaret Parker.



Thomas Currier, *president;* Richard Hail, *vice president;* Robert Hartle, *secretary;* James Miller, *treasurer;* William Roberts, *newsreporter;* Elenore Reising, Germaine Urig, Philip Howe, *student council.*

Juniors

ROW 1: Willa Balzer, Ernestine Bates, Geneva Bechstein, Arthur Born, Raymond Braun. *ROW 2:* Miriam Brundage, Lawrence Bettcher, Esther Cadman, Donald Clary, Richard Collins, George Dubick, Gerald Eucker, Bobby Joe Ferguson, George Fingulin. *ROW 3:* Brian Freas, Leon Groot, Nancy Hunter, Anne Husted, Dorothy Kasper, Loren Kirk, Barbara Kodysz, Neal Kothe, Nancy Lamvermeyer. *ROW 4:* Sonja Manuel, Peter Mayer, Ronald Muska, Neil Myers, Martha Niggle, Wanda Odom, Lenore Reising, James Rothgery, Emogene Schlechter. *ROW 5:* Jere Simonson, Nancy Singley, Robert Snider, Faye Trosper, Ray Tucker, Dennis Wasem, Avonelle Williams, George Yakunovich, Marian Yourkavitch.



Sophomores

John Heyman, *president;* Mike Polansky, *vice president;* Faye Green, *secretary;* Sally Sugerik, *treasurer;* Thomas Howe, *newsreporter;* Nancy Kawasaki, Peggy Leadbetter, Wayne Morrow, *student council.*

ROW 1: Loren Alpaugh. *ROW 2:* Rita Baker, Larry Balzer, Sandra Bechstein, Wm. Bechstein, Dorothy Becker, Susan Bell, Carole Bilby, Robert Bodkin, John Born. *ROW 3:* Marilyn Born, Marjorie Born, Gwen Brumby, DeEtte Bruner, Wilma Budweg, Marjorie Call, Karen Clark, Frank Cole, Twila Dennison; *ROW 4:* Gloria Drought, James Dubick, Judy Edgar, Richard Enzor, Marvin Fannin, Russell Fox, Andy Fritz, Paul Hale, Kaye Hall. *ROW 5:* Pat Harsar, Martha Henning, David Hiscox, Ray Johnson, Jill Keller, Morris Kelling, Donna Kinsley, Paul Knott, Carl Kopocs. *ROW 6:* Donald Lewis, Jeanne Lewis, Theodore Logan, Patricia McQueen, Nancy Miller, Robert Miller, Carol Minek, Grace Morrison, Margaret Parker. *ROW 7:* Lawrence Pete, Dale Potts, Robert Ronez, Ronald Ronez, Ronald Roskoski, John Wanyek, Priscilla Williams, Paul Woodrum, Dale Worcester.

David Odom, *president;* Robert Baumann, *vice president;* Linda Jackson, *secretary-treasurer;* Robert Frye, *newsreporter;* Stanley Brumby, Janet Markworth, David Searles, *student council.*

Freshmen

ROW 1: Paul Bauer, Jack Bechstein, Richard Bettcher, Jerry Bradberry, Susan Brandau. *ROW 2:* Lynn Brewster, Geraldine Brill, Jerry Camera, Richard Carver, Joan Clary, Kathern Cline, Carol Collins, Florence Cucco, Thelma Dunham. *ROW 3:* Elaine Edwards, Kathryn Fannin, Ted Freas, Carol Freeman, Jean Fritz, Carol Garreston, Philip Gerki, David Gerhardinger, Lois Griffith. *ROW 4:* Rolland Green, Earl Hartle, Linda Heggie, Roger Herchler, Kenneth Hufnagle, James Hunter, Sam Jacobcik, Martha Kelley, Rosanna Kern. *ROW 5:* Harold Kindrick, Sharon Klinger, Jeanne Knittle, Linda Kochheiser, Jon Kodysz, Jean Kotlarz, Nancy Manning, Terry Myers, Mary Anne Mitiska. *ROW 6:* Judy Moes, Sandra Muska, Karen Nabakowski, Ethel Nickelson, Jane Phillips, Patricia Prince, Beverly Radcliffe, Cynthia Radunsky, Rose Reising.

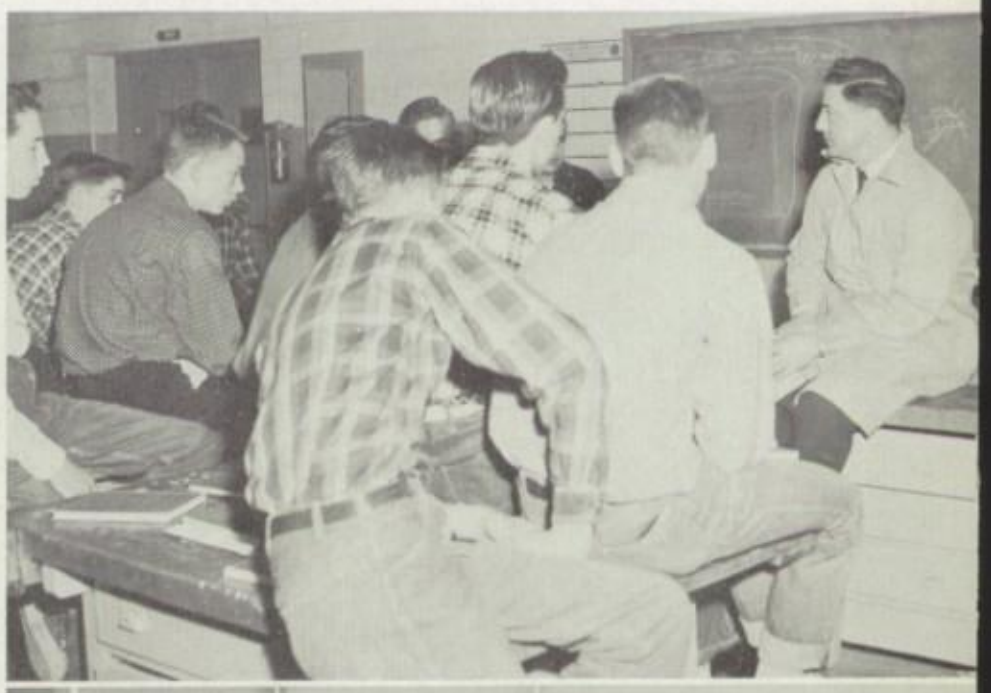
ROW 1: Rosetta Reising, Carol Roskoski, Esther Rym, Barbara Sadin, Michael Selzman, Eleanor Sayler, Robert Scakacs, Donald Scholl, Elsa Schroeder. *ROW 2:* Larry Sebolt, Jon Sick, Virginia Snider, Virginia Sterrett, Robert Tomlinson, Darryl Walker, Donald Walton, Lida Witter, Noel Zurcher.

Scenes In Classrooms Are . . . . . .

Spanish students take dictation.

Check with Mr. Howe on lab problem.

Discuss plans in Ind. Arts I.



Freshman girls learn to sew.

'Tis wise to learn; 'tis God-like to create.—Saxe.

ACTIVITIES

Mixed Chorus Rates Superior

Sweetest is the strain when
in the song
The singer has been lost.
—E. Phelps.

The a cappella choir directed by Miss Marjorie Howe rated superior at the State Class B music contest held at Capital University April 28 and at District contest at Euclid March 24.

During the year of the chorus presented two choral programs at Firelands for the community, the Christmas program and the spring concert. Also in the spring the group performed for several community organizations, the Lorain County Education Association, and the senior vesper service.

ROW 1: Germaine Urig, Wanda Odom, Rosanna Kern, Martha Henning, Dorothy Kasper, Janice Virag, Betty Miller, Elaine Husted, Kay McDowell, Glenda Berkmeyer, Sally Camera, Emogene Schlechter, Marguerite Vargo, Donna Northeim, Karen Clark, Virginia Sterrett, Marian Yourkavitch, Lenore Reising, Willa Balzer, Elaine Cajka. *ROW 2:* Nancy Miller, Sandra Bechstein, Jeanne Knittle, Susan Bell, Carol Pete, Mary Anne Mitiska, Sandra Muska, Sharon Klinger, Nancy Lamvermeyer, Linda Kochheiser, Patricia McQueen, Carol Fletcher, Marilyn Born, Sonja Manuel, Elaine Husted, Esther Rym, Eleanor Sayler, Rita Baker, Martha Niggle.

Barbershopping

The boys' quartet, made up by George Dubick, David Odom, Richard Hall, and Steve Howe, entertained the student body at several assemblies as well as performed at several banquets and programs.

The girls' quartet, made up by Sally Camera, Wanda Odom, Lenore Reising, and Elaine Husted, sang at the basketball banquet, the junior-senior dinner-dance, and at the spring concert. They are pictured among the scenes taken at the dinner-dance.

ROW 3: Donna Kinsley, Lois Griffith, Karen Nabakowski, Cynthia Radunsky, Sally Sugerik, Twila Dennison, Nancy Kawasaki, Gwen Brumby, Jane Phillips, Jill Keller, Carol Collins, Joan Clary, Carol Mathes, Elsa Schroeder, Janet Markworth, Grace Morrison, Carol Lang, Linda Heggie. *ROW 4:* Patricia Harsar, Elenore Reising, Lewis Meyer, Noel Zurcher, John Wanyek, Ronald Ronez, John Markworth, Steve Howe, Raymond Braun, Daniel Edgar, David Searles, Miss Marjorie Howe, director; Leon Groot, Jerry Camera, Thomas Currier, Thomas Howe, Richard Hall, Phillip Howe, Lawrence Kelling, James Miller. *ROW 5:* Darryl Walker, David Odom, George Dubick, Bill Roberts, Wayne Morrow, James Horvath, Robert Frye, Kenneth Hufnagle.

High School Band Performs

Music is the poetry of the air.—Jean Richter.

In new red and white uniforms the Firelands High School Band, led by Mr. Edward Smith, performed at the Kipton Carnival and the Sandusky Fair. In the fall and winter the band marched at home football games and furnished "pep" music for basketball games.

In the spring the band played at Midview and Columbia High Schools, the County Education banquet, Firelands in April, and Commencement. They marched Field Day at Oberlin and in three Memorial Day parades.

The Board of Education furnished money for several needed instruments, and the Music Committee of PTA did a huge job of paying for band and majorettte uniforms.

Officers are Steve Howe, president; Lewis Meyer, secretary-treasurer; Gwen Brumby, stage manager; Lewis Meyer and John Born, uniform managers; and Marjorie Born, librarian.

ROW 1: Martha Niggle, Martha Henning, Geneva Bechstein, Sandra Bechstein, Nancy Lamvermeyer, Marilyn Born, Karen Clark, Virginia Sterrett, Warren German. *ROW 2:* Susan Brandeu, Patricia McQueen, Margaret Parker, John Born, Lewis Meyer, Eleanor Sayler, James Miller, Thomas Howe, Linda Heggie, Grace Morrison, Betty Miller. *ROW 3:* Janet Markworth, Dorothy Kasper, Lois Griffith, Rosanna Kern, Jerry Camera, Twila Dennison, David Odom, Robert Baumann.

Marjorie Call
Donna Northeim
Anne Husted
Marguerite Vargo
Joan Heidrich

Noel Zurcher, Nancy Miller, John Wanyek, Raymond, Braun, Sonja Manuel, Jane Phillips, Phillip Howe, Stanley Brumby, Darryl Walker, Jerry Bachman, Marjorie Born, Emogene Schlechter. *STANDING:* Edward Smith, Director; June Buchs, Joan Buchs, Carol Collins, Steve Howe, Gwen Brumby, Elaine Cajka, Pat Harsar, and Majorettes: Joan Heidrich, Marjorie Call, Anne Husted, Marguerite Vargo, and Donna Northeim.

SEATED: David Searles 9, Phillip Howe 11, treasurer; Sandra Resar 12, secretary; Richard Snider 12, president; Steve Howe 12, vice president; James Horvath 12, sergeant-at-arms; Stanley Brumby 9. *STANDING:* Nancy Kawasaki 10, Janet Markworth 9, Peggy Leadbettter 10, Wayne Morrow 10, Donna Northeim 12, Germaine Urig 11, Mr. Matheny, advisor; Elenore Reising 11.

Students Help To Govern

The end of government is the happiness of the people. —Macaulay.

Probably one of the most outstanding accomplishments of the Student Council was the selection of the nickname *Falcons* for athletic teams of Firelands.

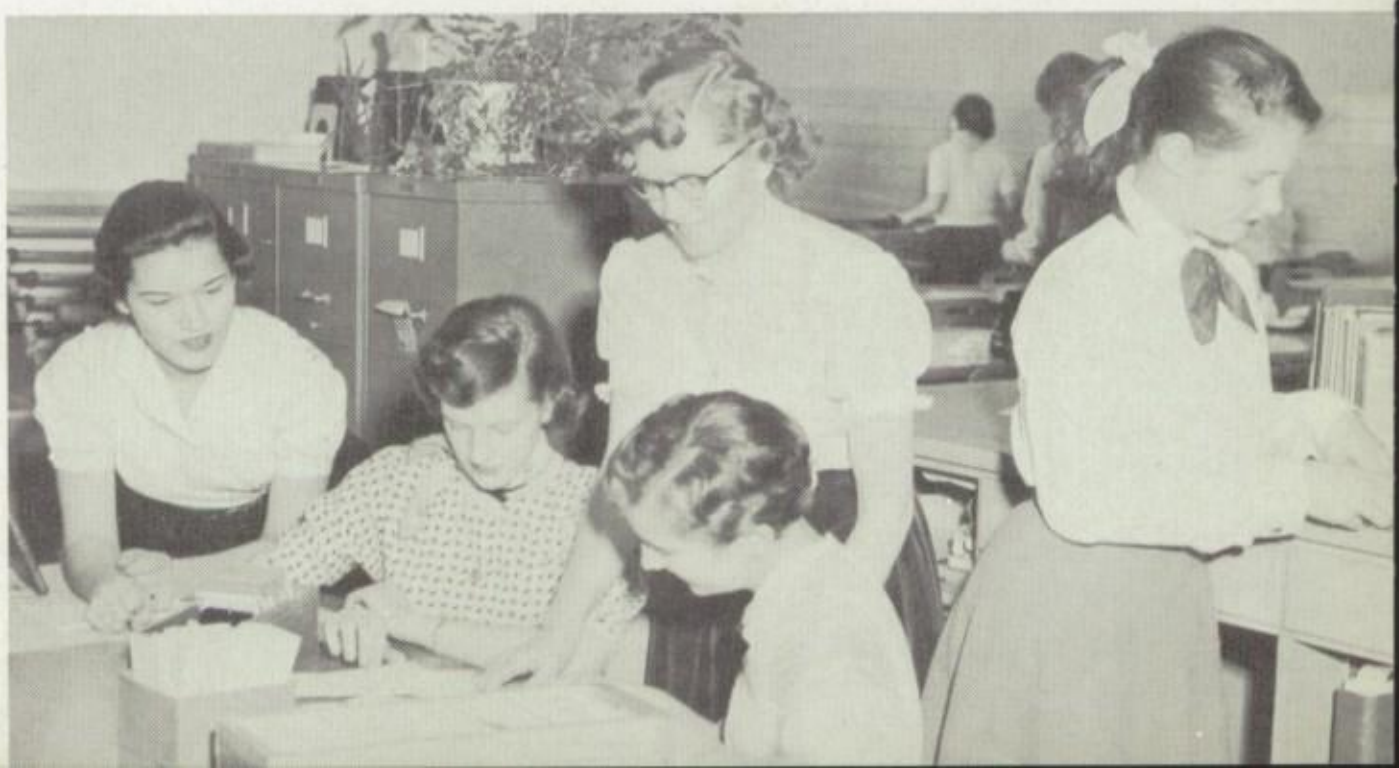
Other activities supervised by the Council were the noon activity schedule, cheerleading contests, car wash, and the selling of schedule pencils.

The Council also sponsored dances, decorated the Christmas tree, assisted in the *toys for tots drive*, led many of the pep rallies, and sent Germaine and Phil as representatives of Firelands to the National Student Council Convention.

Students Assist In The Library

Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested. —Bacon.

During the year five students assisted Miss Wilson in the library by helping charge out, check in, and sometimes reshelve books. This assistance allowed more time to be devoted to cataloging.



Willa Balzer, DeEtte Bruner, Miss Wilson, Jill Keller, Janet Markworth. *ABSENT:* Nancy Singley.

SEATED: Elaine Cajka, James Horvath, Betty Miller, Patricia Fox, Carolyn Summers, Elaine Husted, Sally Camera. *STANDING:* Miss Wilson, teacher; Sandy Resar, Joan Buchs, June Buchs, Martha Niggle, Lawrence Kelling, Glenda Berkmeyer, Warren German, Shirley Hunt, Janice Virag, *ABSENT:* Montie Ratliff.

Publish School Publications

Souls dwell in the printer's type. —Joseph Ames.

The Journalism Class under the direction of Miss Mary E. Wilson published nine issues of the *Firelands Flash*, a four-page letterpress newspaper, and *The Torch*, this yearbook.

Other than to class members, much credit for the success of both publications goes to Mr. Andrew Stofan, the official Firelands photographer; Walter Glendenning of Birmingham who took many of the informal pictures as well as a few formal shots; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Day of The Ledger Printing Company, Milan, printers of the *Firelands Flash;* Mr. Miller and others who contributed snapshots; to teachers and others who contributed materials; and to the Freshman English classes.

Thanks, too, go to the advertisers in both publications because they have really helped in an expensive, but educational undertaking.

October 21-22, Elaine Cajka, Betty Miller, Janice Virag, and Miss Wilson represented Firelands at the fall meeting of the Journalism Association of Ohio Schools which met at Ohio State University.

Betty and Montie are working on pictures.

Member of
Journalism Association
of
Ohio Schools

Display of Materials for Publications.

ROW 1: Francis Miller, advisor; C. Cline, sentinel; W. Schramm, treasurer; L. Kelling, student adviser; L. Meyer, vice president; J. Morgan, president; R. Hartle, secretary; W. German, news reporter. *ROW 2:* J. Woodrum, P. Bauer, W. Morrow, J. Born, W. Bechstein, R. Snider, G. Gvist, R. Frye, F. Scholl. *ROW 3:* L. Sebolt, D. Lewis, C. Kopocs, R. Cucco, J. Bachman, A. Born, R. Collins, N. Kothe. *ROW 4:* P. Knott, D. Hiscox, S. Brumby, J. Wanyek, D. Clary, R. Miller, L. Groot, D. McQueen, R. Green.

Future Farmers Have Busy Year

The farmers are the founders of civilization. —Webster.

Twelve "green hands" were initiated into the Firelands Chapter of the Future Farmers of America which is under the guidance of Mr. Miller, instructor of vocational agriculture.

To make money the F. F. A. sponsored a scrap drive after Christmas and sold screw driver sets in the spring.

During the year the boys parked cars for athletic events, banquets, and other activities which were held at Firelands. They also had a coat check service for the Dairyman's Banquet.

The boys sponsored a trip to the Sportsman's Show in Cleveland, had a one day trip to Farmer's Week in Columbus, and went to Detroit to visit the Ford Tractor Plant and Greenfield Museum.

Instead of first, the boys ranked third in the parliamentary procedure contest, but honor came to the organization through several individual honors. Lewis Meyer won an expensive paid trip to the American Institute of Cooperation Convention to be held in Raleigh, N. C., July, which is sponsored by the Ohio Council and Lorain Co. Farm Co-ops.

Jim Morgan and George Gvist won a one day field trip on their essays in the Conservation Essay Contest, and Larry Sebolt received a dairy calf award sponsored by the Wellington District Holstein Association.

Receives De Kalb Award

The DeKalb award to the outstanding senior went to Dale McQueen during the Parents' Night program.

Silver awards were presented to Jim Morgan and Lewis for their efforts in the District F. F. A. Public Speaking Contest.

Receiving F. F. A. Foundation Awards were Don Lewis, star farmer; Dave Hiscox, farm mechanics; John Born, dairy farming; and Jim Woodrum, soil and water management.

Under the direction of Mr. Nelson Howe, the Camera Club was formed last year to promote interest in photography. The organization offers experience in various phases of photography.

SEATED: K. Hall, G. Drought, C. Radunsky, R. Hartle, J. Hunter, T. Howe. *STANDING:* J. Edgar, J. Knittle, K. Cline, M. Mitiska, J. Phillips, C. Freeman, J. Fritz, C. Roskoski, P. Gerki.

Shutterbugs Form Camera Club

Future HomemakersOrganize

Home is the grandest of all institutions.—Spurgeon.

Under the direction of Mrs. Roxy Dillon, home economics teacher, the first Firelands FHA Chapter was organized.

During the year the group composed and submitted laws and by-laws of their constitution to Columbus.

The girls sponsored a bake sale during the winter, put on a style show May 16, and worked on future plans. They had regular meetings on a Wednesday of each month.

All were initiated at a special evening meeting at which the girls' parents were guests, April 30. During this meeting the girls received their FHA pins.

ROW 1: M. Call, historian; C. Summers, news reporter; M. Parker, vice president; C. Bilby, president; E. Cajka, secretary; J. Virag, news reporter; S. Bechstein, historian; D. Bruner, treasurer. *ROW 2:* S. Klinger, T. Dunham, L. Griffith, T. Dennison, P. McQueen, G. Morrison, S. Bell, S. Sugerik, D. Kinsley, P. Harsar. *ROW 3:* J. Clary, G. Brill, S. Brandau, L. Heggie, K. Nabakowski, S. Muska, M. Kelley, J. Lewis, M. Mitiska, E. Edwards. *ROW 4:* N. Manning, J. Markworth, B. Sabin, V. Sterrett, R. Baker, J. Keller, K. Hall, N. Miller, B. Kodysz, Mrs. Dillon, advisor.

SEATED: Elenore Reising, vice-president; Germaine Urig, Sharon Green, Elaine Husted, Carol Lang, Mary Bradley, news reporter; Esther Cadman, Geneva Bechstein, Joan Buchs, June Buchs. *STANDING:* Sally Camera, Carol Pete, president; Glenda Berkmeyer, secretary; Carol Fletcher, Marian Yourkavitch, Kay McDowell, Mrs. Wallace, adviser; Dorothy Kasper, Lenore Reising, Willa Balzer, Sonja Manuel, Wanda Odom, Marguerite Vargo, Joan Heidrich, treasurer; Pat Fox.

Commercial Club Gains Experience

Diligence is the mother of good fortune.—Cervantes.

The Commercial Club, under the advisership of Mrs. Ruth Wallace, is to help students to gain a better understanding of the business world and to learn to meet real situations.

During the year students helped by typing and duplicating materials for teachers, and several worked as receptionists and helped in the school office.

During the athletic season the girls made and sold football and basketball programs.

To see others at work, members toured the offices of the Lorain Journal and Thew Shovel in Lorain and Halley's Department Store in Cleveland.

The club is limited to students taking one or more commercial subjects.

Carolyn, Mrs. Wallace, Marian.

Sportsmen Form Rifle Club

ROW 1: Mr. Seiple, adviser; Rudy Harsar, Wayne Schramm, Dale Worcester, Faye Greene, Mike Polansky. *ROW 2:* Jerry Camera, Dick Enzor, Leon Groot, John Heyman, Paul Bauer, Jim Woodrum, Pat Harsar. *ROW 3:* Jon Sick, James Hunter, Bob Snider, David Hiscox, Sam Jacobcik, Jerry Bradberry, Noel Zurcher, Bob Miller.

With Mr. James Seiple as the leader the Rifle Club took form this year. The students learned about various types of rifles that are used for hunting and sports shooting.

To raise money for the club students sold the red and white "Firelands Falcons" ball point pens.

J. Wanyek, news reporter; J. Knittle, K. Clark, Joan Clary, D. Kasper, B. Miller, president; Nancy Miller, M. Niggle, secretary; P. McQueen, E. Schlechter, treasurer; S. Bechstein, J. Phillips, S. Bell, G. Morrison, S. Surgerick, E. Cajka.

Cultivate Music Appreciation

Is there a heart that music cannot meet?—Beattie.

The Music Appreciation Club was organized by Miss Marjorie Howe, director of Mixed Chorus. The aim of the club is to increase interest and to learn more about music.

The group listened to recordings of symphonies, orchestral arrangements, operas, and studied stories of operas.

More New Drivers At Wheel

Think safe, drive safe, and be safe.

Thirty-six students participated in driver training classes taught by Mr. James Seiple.

Those who successfully completed the course which required classroom work, observation, and actual practice driving were qualified to ttke the test for their licenses.

The January tests were given by Mr. Seiple, but a new Ohio law required that later students take tests given by the Ohio State Highway Patrol.

The driver training car was a courtesy of Milad, Inc. of Amherst.

STANDING: R. Roskoski, J. Virag, K. McDowell, J. Miller. *IN CAR:* Mr. Seiple, C. Fletcher, D. Clary, P. Harsar.

ROW 1: R. Muska, D. Potts, J. Eucker, J. Wanyek, W. Bechstein, R. Cucco, R. Ronez, R. Braun. *ROW 2:* M. Brundage, Mr. Seiple, W. Odom, P. Fox, C. Summers, P. Harsar, W. Budweg, J. Virag, D. Northeim, K. McDowell, C. Fletcher, E. Reising, W. Balzer, L. Reising. *ROW 3:* J. Buchs, J. Buchs, S. Bechstein, G. Bechstein, E. Schlechter, N. Lamvermeyer, S. Resar. *ROW 4:* J. Miller, J. Simonson, L. Alpaugh, D. Clary, R. Roskoski, J. Born, L. Kirk, M. Fannin, A. Fritz:

The life you save might be your own.

ROW 1: G. Drought, S. Camera, C. Fletcher, M. Yourkavitch, M. Vargo, C. Pete, G. Urig, W. Balzer, W. Odom, K. Hall, E. Cakja. *ROW 2:* J. Buchs, J. Markworth, L. Griffith, B. Radcliff, M. Henning, C. Collins, L. Reising, E. Schroeder, C. Radunsky, J. Moes, R. Baker, C. Bilby, G. Bechstein. *ROW 3:* D. Kinsley, V. Sterrett, B. Sabin, T. Dunham, S. Surgerik, M. Niggle, C. Summers, M. Parker, J. Virag. *ROW 4:* D. Kasper, E. Schlechter, E. Edwards, S. Brandau, L. Heggie, K. Nabakowski, S. Bechstein, N. Miller, S. Green, M. Bradley, B. Miller, G. Berkmeyer, E. Husted. *ROW 5:* G. Brumby, J. Lewis, M. Call, S. Muska, M. Mitiska, M. Kelly, P. McQueen, G. Morrison, S. Bell, J. Knittle, D. Becker, N. Kawasaki. *ROW 6:* J. Buchs, P. Harsar, S. Resar, S. Manuel, A. Husted, R. Kern, N. Lamvermeyer, T. Dennison, J. Keller, M. Born, P. Leadbetter.

G. A. A. Elects Council

Every mission constitutes a pledge of duty. —Mazzini.

Under the direction of Mrs. Connie Champion the Girls' Athletic Association elected a council to work out a plan of action. On the council were Linda Heggie, freshman; Dorothy Becker, sophomore; Anne Husted, junior; and Elaine Husted, senior.

The G. A. A. held meetings after school in the gymnasium during which time members played intramural games of basketball and volley ball.

Learning To Spend Leisure

Leisure and solitude are the best effect of riches, because the mother of thought. Both are avoided by most rich men, who seek company and business, which are signs of being weary of themselves.—Sir. W. Temple.

Playing chess and checkers at the various tables are C. Manning and G. Gvist; C. Kopocs and P. Knott; R. Miller and M. Kelling; R. Roskoski and D. Edgar; and J. Born and R. Ronez. The onlookers are K. Hufnagle, Mr. DeGennaro, advisor; L. Groot, and J. Rothgery.

ROW 1: E. Schroeder, T. Dunham, M. Mitiska, S. Muska, V. Sterrett, E. Sayler, J. Phillips. *ROW 2:* F. Cucco, L. Jackson, C. Freeman, N. Manning, E. Edwards, K. Cline. *ROW 3:* E. Nicholsen, J. Kotlarz, J. Fritz, G. Brill, E. Rym, J. Clary, B. Sabin. *ROW 4:* M. Brundage, S. Brandau, L. Heggie, K. Nabakowski, J. Markworth.

Take Home Nursing And Child Care

During the school year the girls took home nursing and mother and child care. The display is an exhibit of handmade articles.

The freshman boys had a lot of fun learning how to make things for the sick room and how to care for a patient.

In the spring both groups made a trip to the Cleveland Health Museum.

Boys Also Take Home Nursing

ROW 1: Mrs. Murphy, P. Gerki, P. Bauer, J. Camera, K. Hufnagle, R. Bettcher, J. Hunter, E. Hartle, Mr. Seiple. *ROW 2:* N. Zurcher, R. Scakacs, S. Jacobcik, T. Freas, D. Gerhardinger, R. Herchler, T. Myers, H. Kindrick. *ROW 3:* R. Baumann, M. Salzman, S. Brumby, D. Searles, R. Green, E. Dodson, D. Odom, J. Kodysz. *ROW 4:* R. Tomlinson, D. Walker, J. Sick, R. Frye, L. Sebolt, J. Bechstein, D. Scholl.

Exhibited At Science Fair

Zurcher's white mice play.—Collins and Brill have a working geyser, and Mitiska and Muska's volcano really worked.—Mr. Kollman tests Dubick's exhibit of the ability of the body to conduct electricity.—Hunter points out how his vacuum water pump works.—Green, Tomlinson and Kodysz launch jets.—Pete and Knott demonstrate with field mice the effects of smoking.—Brumby demonstrates his tesla coil.

Classes In Session

School is life.—John Dewey.

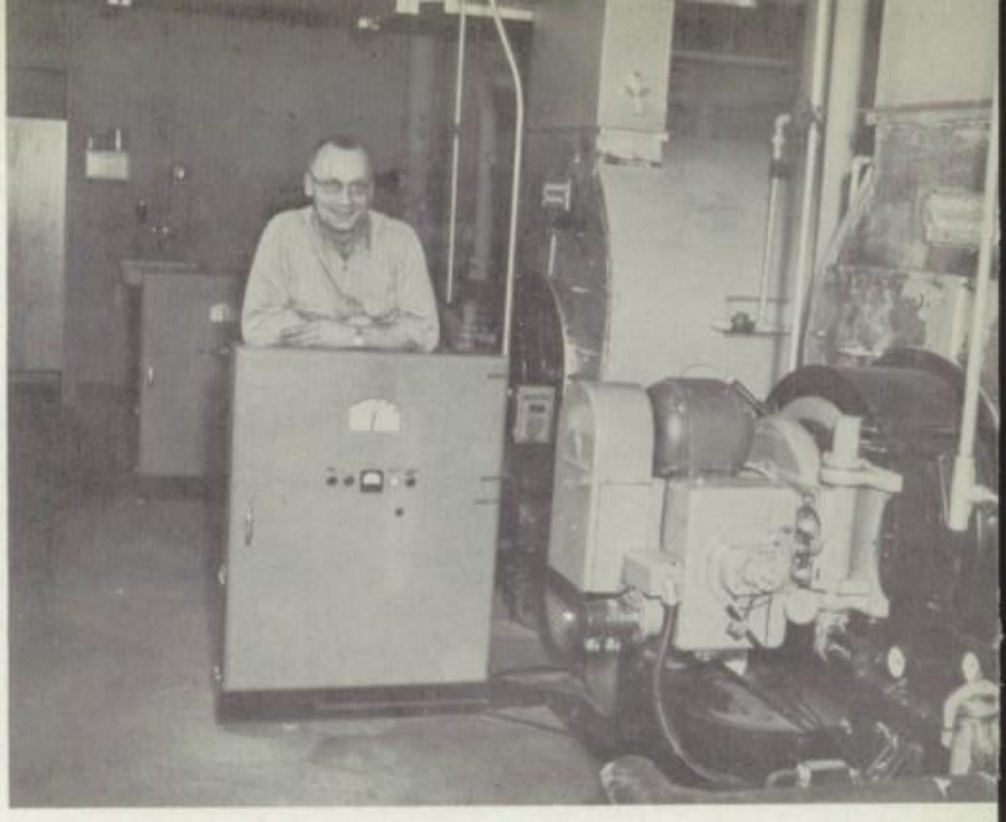
Pictured are scenes from a few of the classrooms during class periods.

Taking biology test.—Working on laboratory experiments.—Receiving instruction in adv. algebra.—Laying out a pattern for a dress.—Weaving table mats and music room drapes.—Building trailer.—Building a cedar chest.

Snapped During The Lunch Period

Mrs. Holzhauer, Mrs. Hawke, and Mrs. Cajka serve us.—A senior line! —Punch my ticket next.—Mr. Miller: "This is butter, and that is peanut butter."—Healthy appetites—Looking at trophy display before tournament—Do you mean that all these pictures are going into the yearbook?—Glenna works in school store during sixth period and gets the "greenbacks."

Custodians



Taking care of our school building and being on hand to help during the many ball games and various school activities were Bud Bickel and Burl Call.

Mr. Bickel is pictured at right.

Mr. Call, who is also a bus driver, is pictured among the drivers below. Besides driving his school schedule he drove to most of the away games.

Anthony DeGennaro, Burl Call, Walter Tuttle, Russell Miller, Carl Ives, Peter Cucco, Betty Leimbach, Gerald Leimbach, Ted Bohn. *ABSENT:* Robert Taft.

One Dozen Drivers Drive

The twelve drivers maintained an excellent record of transporting Firelands boys and girls to their various schools regardless of weather. Most of the drivers drove two runs to pick up and deliver back home the elementary and junior-and-senior high students.

Pictured at left is a patrolman pointing out to driver that on this new bus the words "School Bus" should be painted on. All buses are inspected regularly.

There is no excellence uncoupled with difficulties.

—Ovid.

ATHLETICS

ROW 1: James Morgan, Neal Kothe, Raymond Braun, Dick Snider, Richard Hall, Dennis Wasem, Dale McQueen, Philip Howe. *ROW 2:* Mr. Nelson Howe, Dick Logan, Wawne Schramm, Ted Logan, Douglas Hale, Dennis Carver, Steve Howe, John Markworth, Arthur Born, Mr. James Kollman. *ROW 3:* Richard Collins, Brain Freas, James Rothgery, Bobby Bodkin, Charles Manning, Bill Bechstein, Charles Smith, George Dubick, Rudy Harsar.

Swan Song Of Six-Man Football

Courage is fire, and bullying is smoke.—Beaconsfield.

After thirty years of coaching, Nelson T. Howe retired from the coaching of football this year as the six-man team is being replaced by an eleven-man team who have been being conditioned by Coach James Kollman, a newcomer to Firelands.

The Howeman, the name by which the football team was known before the name *Falcons* was selected by the student body this year, played some tough games, had a successful season, and placed third in the Lorain County Six-Man Football League.

At the football banquet, November 8, when the team and cheerleaders were honored, Coach Howe received recognition for his many years of devotion to his boys and to coaching.

Season Schedule

FIRELANDS		OPPONENT		FIRELANDS		OPPONENT	
34	Sept. 16	So. Amherst*	6	20	Oct. 14	Avon	32
8	Sept. 23	Berlin Heights*	26	51	Oct. 20	So. Amherst	0
19	Sept. 30	Columbia*	14	40	Oct. 28	LaGrange	14
18	Oct. 7	Brookside*	51			*Home Game	

Cheerleaders

Germaine Urig, Elenore Reising, Lenore Reising, Willa Balzer.

BANQUET SCENES

PTA serves.—Guests attend.—Coach Kollman presents eleven-man awards.—Gordon "Skip" Ward speaks.—Mr. Howe receives crying towel before being presented silver dollars by high school faculty.—Coach Howe presents six-man awards.

Future Eleven-Man Gridders

ROW 1: David Odom, Richard Bettcher, Gilbert Clark, Tom Howe, Robert Frye, Ray Johnson, Andy Fritz, Paul Bauer, Larry Balzer, Jerry Camera. *ROW 2:* Robert Baumann, Harold Kindrich, Mike Polansky, Paul Hale, Jerry Bachman, Coach Kollman, Larry Bettcher, Loren Alpaugh, Ronald Roskoski, Dale Worcester, Ted Freas.

SEATED: James Horvath, John Markworth, Richard Logan, Robert Hartle, Montie Ratliff. *STANDING:* Coach James Seiple, Dennis Wasem, Dale McQueen, Arthur Born, Harold Greszler, Frank Scholl, Lewis Meyer, Manager.

Falcons Bring Home Trophies

Victory belongs to the most perserving.—Napoleon I

Not predicted to make a very outstanding showing in the basketball season, the Firelands Falcons not only came forth with a 7-1 Lorain County League record and a 16-2 season record, and tied with Brookside as League Co-Champs, but the Falcons went undefeated in the County Tournament at Oberlin to win the Championship from Avon with a score of 57-52 after defeating Lagrange 53-45 in the semi-finals.

At Lorain in the Sectional, Firelands had a bye into the finals, and there the Falcons overcome Westfield 75-47 and went into the District Tournament at Kent.

At Kent Firelands ended a successful season by succumbing 70-61 to Chagrin Falls who went on into the State Class B semifinals in Cleveland.

The Varsity Cheerleaders also brought home a trophy. Lenore and Elenore Reising tied for second place with Brookside. Columbia took first for the fourth time.

Willa Balzer moved from Firelands District to Avon shortly before the tournament: therefore, she was not qualified to cheerlead in the contest.

SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Firelands		Opponent
85	Nov. 22 Homer*	43
61	Nov. 29 Milan	59
71	Dec. 2 Avon	58
53	Dec. 9 So. Amherst	37
51	Dec. 10 Wellington*	58
65	Dec. 16 Avon Lake*	60
82	Dec. 17 Wakeman	60
67	Dec. 29 Vermilion*	55
83	Jan. 6 Columbia*	45
72	Jan. 7 Berlin Hts.	56
68	Jan. 13 Ridgeville*	59
56	Jan. 14 Milan*	44
63	Jan. 21 Avon*	50
67	Jan. 27 Brookside*	53
69	Jan. 38 Amherst	59
57	Jan. 31 LaGrange*	58
62	Feb. 7 So. Amherst*	44
65	Feb. 10 Midview	52

* Home Games

Elenore Reising, Willa Balzer, Lenore Reising.

Twins Tie for Second in Contest
Trophy Case—After Tournament

Spotlight On The Season

Beat Homerville!
Yea, Firelands!
County Tourney Champs
Coach—Singing in the Showers

The Falcons

Reserves

SEATED: Dale Worcester, Mgr.; Neal Kothe, Philip Howe, Paul Hale, Raymond Collins, Wayne Morrow, Bill Bechstein, Mgr. *STANDING:* Tom Currier, Bob Snider, Ted Logan, Ronald Roskoski, John Born, Mike Polansky, Brian Freas, Coach Kollman.

RESERVE
CHEERLEADERS

Nancy Kawasaki
Rosanna Kern
Carole Bilby

Falcon Reserves Play Fast Game

The secret of success is constancy to purpose.—Disraeli.

Playing the same schedule as the Varsity, the Reserves, coached by James Kollman, ended the season with a fourteen—win, four—loss record.

The Reserves played a fast and exciting game, and many of the games were decided in the final seconds.

Freshmen Play Afternoon Schedule

Practice is the best of all instructions.—Publius Syrus.

Hoping someday to be Varsity Falcons, the freshmen boys started on their way by playing twelve scrimmages in the evenings at 4:00 p. m. Coached by Principal Fred Matheny, the boys won six and lost six.

FRESHMEN

SEATED: Dave Odom, Darryl Walker, Jerry Camera, Bob Frye, Stanley Brumby, Larry Sebolt, Bob Baumann. *STANDING:* Mr. Matheny, Jon Sick, Ted Freas, "Chips" Hunter, Earl Hartle, Dick Bettcher, Don Scholl, Jon Kodysz.

ROW 1: Rudy Harsar, Paul Bauer, Thomas Howe, David Odom, Jerry Eucker, Ted Logan, Dennis Wasem, Neal Kothe, Marvin Fannin, Darryl Walker. *STANDING:* James Hunter, Richard Collins, Richard Logan, John Markworth, Coach Seiple, Douglas Hale, Steve Howe, Ronald Zunt, Philip Howe.

Have Good Season on Diamond

Our acts make or mar us,—we are the children of our deeds.

—Victor Hugo.

Both the baseball and softball teams had good seasons though neither were champions. The baseball team was coached by Coach James Seiple, and the softball team was coached by Coach Lowell Gatts. Home games were played on the Brownhelm diamond.

ROW 1: Carol Fletcher, Marian Yourkavitch, Lenore Reising, Donna Northeim, Gwen Brumby, Anne Husted, Elaine Husted, Margaret Parker, Marjorie Born, Pat Harsar. *STANDING:* Nancy Miller, Marjorie Call, Elaine Cajka, Elenore Reising, Joan Heidrich, Marilyn Born, Carolyn Summers, Barbara Sabin, Kathern Cline, Coach Lowell Gatts.

Reising and Parker race.—Odom wins hop-step-and-jump.—Firelands H. S. Band.—Band marches onto field.—A choo-choo train.

Girls Star At County Field Day

The high school girls placed first in the girls' division of the Lorain County Field Day at Oberlin May 11 with 37 points.

In the 50-yard dash Germaine Urig finished first, and Lenore Reising second. In the 75-yard dash Lenore finished first, and Margaret Parker placed third.

Making up the 220-yard relay team Germaine, Margaret, and the Reising twins won in 28 seconds. Also taking another first was Wanda Odom who won in the hop-step-and-jump.

Elaine Husted took fourth in the baseball throw; Elenore placed fourth in the broad jump; and Carol Minek tied with several others in the high jump for fifth.

Among the boys Phil Howe placed fourth in the 880, and Wayne Schramm placed fifth in the pole vault.

Energy and persistence conquer all things.—Franklin.

Wrestling Team Formed

Under the coaching of Lowell Gatts the newly formed wrestling team had an exchange meet with Huron. Huron was the victor in both meets, but Baumann and Howe won individual victories.

Also during the winter the boys saw a match between West Tech and East High Schools and put on an exhibition for the students during an assembly.

ROW 1: Rudy Harsar, Bob Frye, Bob Baumann, Jerry Camera, Stanley Brumby, Ted Freas, Jerry Eucker. *ROW 2:* Douglas Hale, Steve Howe, Jim Rothgery, Ronald Zunt, Charles Smith, Clayton Cline, Jere Simonson, George Fingulin.

I will sit down now, but the time will come when you will hear me.

—Disraeli

JUNIOR HIGH

The Junior High Faculty

SEATED: Mrs. Grace Lynch, Mrs. Ada Singley, Mrs. Marian Hull. *STANDING:* William Witt, Wilfred Johnston, Wayne Whyte, Principal, Charles Wilson.

At Firelands Junior High School

The reward of one duty is the power to fulfill another.

—George Eliot.

STUDENT COUNCIL

SEATED: Joyce Kneisel, Karen Born, Iris Jackson, Phyllis Drought, Marjorie Kopocs, Bernita Merrill, Kenneth Kneisel, Wendell Phillips, Jerry Baker. *STANDING:* Mr. Whyte, advisor; James Parker, John Pechaitis, president; Bob Heilman.

NOON RECREATION COMMITTEE

SEATED: Barbara Champion, Iris Jackson, Janet Watson, Judy Clark, Lorna Radcliffe, Pat Lees. *STANDING:* Mr. Wilson, advisor; Norman Hall, Billy Horvath, Ronald Dubick, Charles Bilby.

Views At Firelands Junior High

All in a noon hour!—Firelands Junior High.—Mrs. Hull teaches eighth grade girls to sew.—Mrs. Bruner and Mrs. Currier have just finished another good lunch for us.—Mr. Sabin keeps our buildings clean and warm.—Mr. Witt teaches eighth grade boys industrial arts.

ROW 1: Naomi Manning, Joanne Rothgery, Jackie Pellitiei, Wilma Sharp, Mary Minek, Mary Keressi, Mary Mitchell, Mary Walton, Mary Fetherolf, Ruth Alicie, Betty Gregory. *ROW 2:* Rebecca Blankenship, Linda Witter, Eva Vaught, Lorene Born, Mary Mackin, Megan Ellison, Faith Krebs, Bethel Watson, Deborah Bruner. *ROW 3:* Gary Miller, Dale Koepp, Jerry Knoble, Robert Trosper, Maynard Emmerich, Charles Knott, John King, Earl Gregory, William Jacobcik, Gary Kodysz, James Harrison.

The Eighth Grade

Youth is eminently the fittest season for establishing habits of industry.

—Dr. Farr.

ROW 1: Merry Jo Thompson, Janet Watson, Judy Clark, Judy Smith, Beverly Fletcher, Lynn McDowell, Onalee Meyer, Erma Logan, Edis Peasley, Joyce Kneisel, Virginia Niggle. *ROW 2:* Larry Potts, William Klinger, Ruth Setch, Kathy Mauntel, Tamera Wickens, Karen Born, Iris Jackson, Martha Hiscox, Janice Green, John Pechaitis, Gary Vincent. *ROW 3:* Lawrence Leadbetter, Richard Temple, Gerald Mitchell, James Parker, Kenneth Kneisel, David Bostater, Richard Jones, Gerald Krumweide, Henry Stevens. *ROW 4:* James Krupp, William Horvath, Nicholas Ivancic, Donald Braun, Norman Hall, Richard Calkins, Bilby, Charles Reuse.

ROW 1: Judy Meltzer, Georgene Freeman, Linda Searles, Sharon Ackerman, Loretta Corn, Lorna Radcliffe, Myrna Beach, Diana Gerhardinger, Diana Gessner, Jane Porter, Judy Graham. *ROW 2:* Warren Bradberry, John Nicolson, Michael Klepek, Doren Beam, Charles Woodrum, Awalt Relm, Ronald Dubick; John Ives, Larry Griffith, Leonard Kuburick, Gerald Springer, Lowell Brumby. *ROW 3:* William Champion, Marilyn Miller, Sandra Terschak, Patricia Berger, Sharon Gutman, Lora Trosper, Nancy Dlugos, Susan Born, Marsha Raver, Marion Coultrip, Luman Fetherolf. *ROW 4:* Jack Krupp, Dale Lauener, Lawrence Barber, Robert Heilman, Lloyd Schrader, Richard Fairchild, George Phillips, Gerald Baker, David Kodysz, Bernard Coultrip.

The Seventh Grade

Golden lads and girls all must, As chimmey-sweepers come to dust.

—Shakespeare.

ROW 1: Ruth Showalter, Barbara Champion, Pearl Knott, Joan Bursley, Betsy McDowell, Ruth Baumann, Barbara Odom, Linda Brewer, Dianne Baumann, Mary Snider, Janet Opperman, Sharon Resar. *ROW 2:* James Bryden, Linda Parks, Sue Elliott, Patricia Lees, Shirley Ronez, Glen Watson, Janette Edwards, Wilda Phillips, Phyllis Drought, Patricia Bostater, Bernita Merrill, Betty Call, Barbara Giedlinski, Daniel Camera. *ROW 3:* Anthony Pollack, Walter Pluto, Francis Gercak, Robert Babb, Michael Kotora, Roberta Breisch, Carol Guild, Wilbert Hayes, Raymond Hines, Gordon Groot, Ralph Jaycox, Jack Smith. *ROW 4:* Edward Schlechter, David Fryberger, Thomas Pryor, Thomas Coates, David Haught, Roger Reed, William Sharp, Fredrick Reuse, Bruce Bottomlee, Jack Priestas, David Kane, Glen Fridenstine.

BASKETBALL TEAM

ROW 1: James Parker, Jack Krupp, Gerald Springer, James Krupp, Charles Bilby, Wendell Phillips, Donald Braun. *ROW 2:* Robert Trosper, Richard Temple, Ronald Dubick, Nick Ivancic, William Horvath, Kenneth Kneisel. *ROW 3:* Coach Wilson, William Champion, Lawrence Leadbetter, John Pechaitis, Larry Potts, Gary Vincent, John King.

Participate In Sports

The highest condition takes rise in the lowest.

—Publius Syrus.

Karen Born, Ruth Setch, Janet Watson.

EIGHTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS

SEVENTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS

Laura Trosper, Ruth Baumann, Patricia Lees.

FOOTBALL TEAM

ROW 1: Bob Heilman, Dale Lauener, Lloyd Schrader, Gerald Springer, Tom Pryor, Jackie Priestas, Bill Champion, Lowell Brumby, Warren Bradberry, Wendell Phillips. *ROW 2:* Jim Parker, Charles Woodrum, Walter Pluto, Mickey Kotora, Tony Pollock, Bob Trosper, David Haught, Don Braun, Charles Bilby. *ROW 3:* Coach Wilson, Kenneth Kenisel, Awalt Kelm, Bill Jacobcik, John King, Larry Potts, John Pechaitis, Larry Leadbetter, Ronald Dubick, Maynard Emmerich, Dick Temple.

Present DANGER—WILLIE AT WORK

A passion for the dramatic art is inherent in the nature of man.

—Edwin Forrest.

Under the direction of Mr. Johnston a junior high cast presented *Danger—Willie at work* April 27-28 before a crowd of more than five hundred.

The rollicking comedy was about a boy scientist who got into trouble when he tried to change three guinea pigs into real live girls.

Making up characters.—The horrified Professor!—E-e-e-k, a mouse!—Metamorphosis from three little piggies.—Triumph!—Don't cry, Lola.—The cast.—A sweet homecoming.

Iris Jackson and Martha Hiscox.—The winning relay team from Firelands.
—Band participated in parade and mass band.

Lorain County Field Day Champions

In their second year the Firelands Junior High students took the title for the second time in the Lorain County Field Day with 52 points.

Iris Jackson and Martha Hiscox took first and second places in individual high-scoring honors in the meet.

Also Iris set a new baseball throw record with her 187 feet 3 inches throw, and Martha broke the record with her high jump of four feet six inches.

Girls' Glee Club Sings

ROW 1: R. A. Showalter, M. Snider, L. Brewer, D. Gessner, D. Kern, V. Niggle, S. Elliott, J. Porter, J. Graham, D. Gerhardinger, R. Baumann, B. Odom. *ROW 2:* M. Kopocs, J. Parks, S. Gutman, B. Merrill, J. Smith, J. Clark, M. Ellison, J. Watson, R. Setch, M. Keressi, B. Fletcher, P. Lees, Miss Stavroula Fanos, director. *ROW 3:* R. Breisch, W. Phillips, J. Green, I. Jackson, K. Born, T. Wickens, N. Dlugos, E. Logan, M. J. Thompson, L. Trosper, B. Call, M. Miller. *ROW 4:* J. Bursley, B. Champion, J. Opperman, L. Radcliffe, M. Raver, S. Terschak, M. Hiscox, L. McDowell, S. Ronez, F. Krebs, E. Peasley, J. Kneisel, O. Meyer, B. McDowell.

ROW 1: M. Hiscox, R. A. Showaiter, M. Snider, L. Brewer, D. Gessner, D. Karn, V. Niggle, S. Elliott, J. Porter, J. Graham, D. Gerhardinger, R. Baumann, B. Odom, L. Radcliffe. *ROW 2:* E. Peasley, B. Champion, S. Ronez, M. Kopocs, J. Parks, S. Gutman, B. Merrill, J. Smith, J. Clark, M. Eilison, J. Watson, R. Setch, M. A. Keressi, B. Fletcher, P. Lees, M. Raver, S. Terschak, L. McDowell, J. Kneisel, L. Born. *ROW 3:* O. Meyer, F. Krebs, B.Giedlinski, R. Breisch, W. Phillips, J. Green, K. Born, I. Jackson, T. Wickens, N. Dlugos, E. Logan, M. J. Thompson, L. Trosper, B. Call, M. Miller, J. Bursley, B. McDowell, J. Opperman. *ROW 4:* F. Reuse, L. Brumby, G. Fridenstine, L. Barber, D. Lauener, J. Baker, G. Phillips, D. Haught, G. Groot, N. Hall, K. Kneisel, J. Pechaitis, M. Emmerich, R. Temple, R. Trosper, J. Knoble, F. Gercak, R. Reed, D. Braun, G. Kodysz, G. Miller, W. Reuse, T. Coates, D. Kane.

Junior Chorus and Band Perform

Music, when soft voices die, Vibrates in the memory.

—Shelley.

The Firelands Junior High music groups participated in the promotion exercises held at the High School May 24.

The instrumental ensembles were rated in the Clearview contest in February, and later they and the band participated in the Band Concert at Firelands in April.

The band was decorated by Edward Smith, and the choral group were led by Miss Stavroula Fanos, an Oberlin student teacher.

CHARINETS—*ROW 1:* E. Peasley, O. Meyer, E.Logan. *ROW 2:* B. McDowell, R. Baumann, S. Elliott. *ROW 3:* J, Pechaitis, M. J. Thompson, R. Breisch. *ROW 4:* J. Parks, S. Gutman, G. Fridenstine. CONDUCTOR: Mr. Smith; CYMBALS: Bill Champion; DRUMS: L. Trosper, N. Dlugos, I. Jackson, J. Green; FRENCH HORNS: K. Born, K. Kneisel, J. Clark; TRUMPETS: J. Meltzer, R. Showalter, S. Ackerman, G. Groot, L. Barber, L. Brumby; FLUTES: V. Niggle, M. Kopocs; SAXOPHONES: J. Graham, R. Setch, M. Ellison, J. Kneisel; TROMBONES: G. Miller, J. Edwards, S. Born, B. Odom; BASSES: W. Klinger, D. Braun; MAJORETTES: B. Champion, P. Berger, G. Watson, B. Giedlinski, J. Rothgery.

Ensembles Sing and Play

EIGHTH GRADE

ROW 1: Edis Peasley, Onalee, Meyer, Virginia Niggle, Beverly Fletcher. *ROW 2:* Janet Watson, Judy Clark, Judy Smith, Faith Krebs, Miss Fanos. *ROW 3:* Merry Jo Thompson, Iris Jackson, Megan Ellison, Erma Logan.

SEVENTH GRADE

ROW 1: Lorna Radcliffe, Ruth Baumann, Betsy McDowell, Linda Brewer. *ROW 2:* Diane Gerhardinger, Judy Graham, Barbara Odom. *ROW 3:* Shirley Ronez, Roberta Breisch, Patricia Lees, Linda Parks, Sue Elliott.

CLARINET QUARTET

Onalee Meyer, Merry Jo Thompson, Erma Logan, Edis Peasley.

SAX QUARTET

Joyce Kneisel, Megan Ellison, Ruth Setch, Judy Graham.

CLARINET QUARTET

Ruth Baumann, Roberta Breisch, Sue Elliott, Betsy McDowell.

And then the whining schoolboy, with his satchel And shining morning face, creeping like a snail Unwillingly to school.

—Shakespeare.

ELEMENTARY

KINDERGARTEN

ROW 1: C. Tansey, M. A. More, C. Kruse, C. Knoble, S. Larsen, S. Bartish, K. Emmerich. *ROW 2:* K. Leimbach, C. Jones, W. Brown, A. Smith, R. Kneisel, A. Springer, W. Brown, R. Macin, T. Dairo. *ABSENT:* Mrs. Coressia Rosecrans.

Brownhelm Elementary

Children shows the man, as morning shows the day.—Milton.

FIRST GRADE

ROW 1: F. Alicie, S. Gede, L. Reip, P. Tayor, H. Leimbach, C. Kendeigh, T. Chaffin, R. Corn, T. Dlugos. *ROW 2:* B. J. Tucker, P. Thome, W. Ackerman, L. Hardwick, B. Emmerich, S. Morrow, W. Phillips, C. Bolen, P. Keressi, D. Mackin. *ROW 3:* N. Bartish, W. Lees, M. Niggle, R. Leimbach, P. Whyte, E. Kotora, C. Cook, J. Tansey, E. Born, H. Mitchell. *ABSENT:* S. Lamvermeyer, M. Thoms, Mrs. Dorothy Menz.

SECOND GRADE

ROW 1: E. Reip, B. Knoble, C. Jackson, D. Gede, B. Elliott, M. Tansey, C. Taylor, B. Carsen, S. Hamilton, S. Surrarer, S. Rogers. *ROW 2:* R. Sennhenn, M. Edwards, C. Wilms, S. Porter, M. Jenkins, V. Jones, E. Tansey, H. Hardwick, C. Kruse, C. Markstahler, B. Elliott, E. Haws, J. DeWalt. *ROW 3:* D. Klepek, J. Alicie, M. Starkey, G. Koepp, J. Jones, T. Pechaitis, L. Jones, T. Smith, J. Pondage, R. Parks, D. Brucker, C. Gessner. *ABSENT:* Mrs. Lillian Roberts.

THIRD GRADE

ROW 1: L. Whyte, C. Ickes, G. Gruelich, C. Wilms, H. Zemberlin, B. Corn, M. Leuszler, B. Miller, R. Frye. *ROW 2:* M. L. Baatz, S. Schrader, M. Hall, J. Sennhenn, L. Kneisel, P. DeWalt, P. Alicie, D. Pryor, K. Sanders, C. Roberts. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Dellefield, R. Reip, P. Kerressi, R. Mackin, K. Leimbach, L. Reinhard, C. Thome, M. E. Dubick, K. Marty, R. Aufdenkampe, R. Pollack. *ABSENT:* D. Ackerman, Z. Walker, C. Taylor.

FOURTH GRADE

ROW 1: T. Dlugos, T. Ickes, S. Gross, D. Griffith, P. Fletcher, M. Hall, B. Bursley, R. Griffith, D. Weeks, K. Kawasaki, A, Kendeigh. *ROW 2:* F. Mitchell, E. Dunham, J. Markstahler, B. Ruffing, B. Hasenpflug, M. L. Kotora, J. Fairchild, L. Emery, L. Darnell, M. Lees, J. Baatz. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Florence Gall, J. Odom, F. Gessner, R. Dickinson, D. Starkey, T. Beach, G. Gringle, R. Mitchell, D. Tansey, P. Smith, W. Phillips, D. Brucker. *ABSENT:* M. A. Crabtree.

FIFTH GRADE

ROW 1: C. Gessner, D. Love, D. French, D. Dlugos, S. Manuel W. Weeks, K. Parks, D. Kawsaki, G. Niggle, R. Holzhauer, M. Gercak, R. Kneisel. *ROW 2:* T. Kelley, R. Heilman, W. Brandau, W. Kotlarz, D. Guild, K. McQueen, B. Stick, L. Emmerich, V. Northeim, G. Hamilton, J. Ackerman, A. Hiscox. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Thelma Schnaak, D. Marty, T. Jones, K. Freas, C. Aufdenkampe, H. Born, J. Stevens, J. Kuburcik, C. West, J. Klepek, P. Pechaitis. *ABSENT:* L. Carver.

SIXTH GRADE

ROW 1: P. Schechter, W. Phillips, J. Potts, M. Raley, R. Northeim, A. Prietas. *ROW 2:* K. Mathes, M. Bettcher, P. Miller, L. Emery, S. Dickinson, L. Jackson, M. Thome. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Irene Dickinson, S. Kotlarz, A. Heggie, W. Mackin, J. Pondage, J. Crombie, D. Griffith. *ABSENT:* E. Carver.

Reading.—John Evans, instrumental music teacher at Brownhelm and Camden.—Band learns to march.

KINDERGARTEN

ROW 1: K. Hill, K. Matus, S. Buchs, L. Teets, G. Lindeman. *ROW 2:* B. Brumby, M. L. Battenhouse, G. Coven, M. J. Harris, A. DeGennaro. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Jessie Davidson, T. Buchs, J. Buchs, S. Pogan, M. Matus, T. Schwartz.

Camden Elementary

Children are the tomorrow of society.

—Whately.

FIRST GRADE

ROW 1: S. Matus, M. Groot, P. McRoberts, J. Mikloda, L. Watts, M. Caywood, D. Neel, G. Mauntel. *ROW 2:* M. Ives, P. Saunders, K. Bowman, B. Buchs, A. Davidson, J. Jans, C. Gerstacker, J. Davidson, R. Affolter. *ROW 3:* Miss Mabel Brown, D. Bly, D. Leininger, D. Sponsler, H. Young, D. Pollack, D. Dellifield, D. Bures, T. Wossilek, A. Hornbeck.

FIRST AND SECOND GRADES

ROW 1: R. Edwards 2, D. Ronez 1, J. Anderson 2, B. East 1, T. Gentkewski 1, L. McLaughlin 1, R. Blankenship 1, *ROW 2:* M. Weston 1, C. Franklin 2, R. Buczek 1, B. Childers 1, S. Wossilek 2, J. Reed 2, R. Partin 1. *ROW 3:* Mrs, Dorothy Young, L. Lang, 1, B. Born 1, L. Cucco 1, L. Smith 2, R. Nicholas 1, C. Livermore 2, R. Affolter 2.

SECOND GRADE

ROW 1: J. A. Pluta, L. Hill, I. Jones, R. Williams, J. Nicolson, K. Urbansky, C. Harness, T. Blankenship, S. Bottomlee, C. Boring. *ROW 2:* B. Geist, M. Lewis, W. Jones, H. Lang, L. Springer, R. Neel, J. Matus, C. Gilbert, J. Pluta, S. Scheid, C. Wyler. *ROW 3:* G. Davidson, G. Gerstacker, M. Matus, S. Coward, L. Gerber, A. Blackwell, B. Bradford, Y. Neal, P. Gregory, L. Fetherolf, Mrs. Naomi Pycraft.

THIRD GRADE

ROW 1: W. Kinsley, P. Matus, R. Joslin, I. Kane, R. Gerber, B. Merrill, R. Berger, R. East, K. Bauer. *ROW 2:* K. Butler, J. Gerber, M. Rym, J. Hines, J. Earl, M. Bursley, J. Jungeberg, N. Dennison, R. Miller. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Evelyn Vincent, R. Davidson, J. Moehl, L. May, J. Kasper, G. Rym, D. Haught, D. Fetherolf, B. Born, G. Pollack.

THIRD AND FOURTH GRADES

ROW 1: V. Saunders 3, G. Paris 4, W. Coven 3, D. Blankenship 3, B. Wyler 3, F. Gronsky 3. *ROW 2:* C. Jackson 3, K. Jones 4, L. Meyers 3, T. Dixon 3. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Cecelia Heys, R. Brumby 3, B. Mauntel 4, J. Born 4, K. Davidson 4, D. Affolter 3, R. Jans 3, L. Brumby 3.

FOURTH GRADE

ROW 1: K. Wolfe, D. Buchs, B. Nicholson, J. Childers, L. Butler, C. Smith, M. Searles, J. Livermore, G. Bly. *ROW 2:* G. Juvenile, K. Scakacs, C. Weston, W. Partin, S. Woodrum, K. Blackwell, Y. Neal, J. Searles. *ROW 3:* Mrs. C. Durfee, D. Coven, J. Yakunovich, G. Lewis, J. Gutman, J. Boring, K. Schmidt, R. Harris, G. Link, L. Becker.

FIFTH GRADE

ROW 1: D. Lindemann, H. Fetherolf, A. Minek, D. Moehl, L. Husted, F. Matheny, B. Gibson, D. Jones. *ROW 2:* S. Kinsley, M. Buczek, J. Gregory, D. Geist, K. Davidson, S. Green, Mrs. Mary Schafer. *ROW 3:* R. Fetherolf, B. Schmidt, D. Partin, P. Gregory, D. Bruner, J. Carver, F. Watson, J. Vaught.

SIXTH GRADE

ROW 1: C. Davidson, G. Bly, M. Nicolson, E. Davidson, S. Vlk, G. Reed. *ROW 2:* C. Juvenile, L. Dennison, B. Schmidt, B. Murray, J. Whitney, J. Hulsted, L. Green, Mrs. Elva Scott. *ROW 3:* D. Rivera, T. Jones, L. Jungeberg, D. Woodrum, J. Link, L. Jackson. J. Coward.

KINDERGARTEN

ROW 1: M. Normando, J. Kinsley, I. Demuth, J. Hunter, L. Champion, R. Davidson, J. Barefoot. *ROW 2:* S. Moore, S. Kodysz, E. Hunter, J. Sprague, T. Zobel, E. Krysik, S. Drought. *ROW 3:* D. Sennhenn, L. Normando, D. Ward, B. Ortner, C. Gvist, M. Hunt. *ABSENT:* M. Brundage.

Florence Elementary

Where children are, there is the golden age.—Novalis.

FIRST GRADE

ROW 1: R. Brunow, J. Collins, R. Manning, R. Triplett, R. Witter, R. Richards, W. Wilbur, T. Zeckafoose, D. Boose, P. Hodge. *ROW 2:* M. Knott, G. Hahn, J. Breisch, A. Sayler, R. Sennhenn, P. Markworth, S. Conry, J. Call, T. Johnson, P. Herman, N. Hicks, D. Peasley. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Leta Dery, R. Tomlinson, R. Glider, E. Fleming, R. Anderson, K. Hunter, J. Ehrman, R. Markworth, B. Gerrick, T. Bostater, R. Gutherie, J. Crawford, C. Wright.

SECOND GRADE

ROW 1: S. Prince, A. Timko, J. Jarrett, H. Schroeder, D. Eucker, J. Hunt, F. Snider, T. Graham, F. Cozart. *ROW 2:* R. Irvan, D. Hicks, S. Hill, G. Wasem, T. Wickens, J. Normando, K. Johannsen, T. Appemann, D. Kerepesi. *ROW 3:* C. Zobel, J. Hunter, J. Davis, B. Witter, F. Fryberger, D. Wyatt, K. Baatz, T. Hunt, L. Kinsley, Mrs. Mabel Hanes.

THIRD GRADE

ROW 1: Y. Gersak, J. Martin, M. Coultrip, C. Krebs, B. Brewer, D. Boose, J. Kodysz, C. Witter, M. Coultrip. *ROW 2:* M. Daley, J. Wood, S. Sebolt, K. Poyer, D. Roskoski, J. Coultrip, S. Sugerik, P. Cook, N. Kroesen. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Eleanor Morrison, C. Glider, J. Giedlinski, J. Slocum, F. Fleming, J. Slocum, A. Baatz, P. Coultrip, K. Morris, C. Wyatt, L. Long, J. Griffey.

FOURTH GRADE

ROW 1: J. Peasley, L. Wilber, J. Prince, R. Denney, L. Gersak, D. Triplett. *ROW 2:* L. Watson, N. Hunter, G. Vincent, R. A. Johannsen, J. Coultrip, M. Manning, R. M. Graham. *ROW 3:* Mrs. Lois Foster, D. Prince, D. Fritz, B. Wasem, C. Zoble, T. Crawford, R. Kelm, J Timko, J. Terschak. *ABSENT:* John Berkmeyer, Danny Krebs.

FIFTH GRADE

ROW 1: R. Brunow, R. Biddinger, S. Sprunk, T. Watson, E. Howe, R. Barefoot, C. Witter, C. Champion. *ROW 2:* E. Morris, G. Leimbach, J. Williams, D. Harsar, B. Baker, S. Bell, B. Hunt, P. Reising, G. Markworth, J. King. *ROW 3:* H. Krebs, J. Johannsen, B. Coultrip, A. Wolford, R. Johannsen, R. Babb. N. Hunter, M. Summers, E. Kelm.

SIXTH GRADE

ROW 1: J. Hunt, P. Daley, G. Sayler, B. Barefoot, L. Graham, P. Snider, J. Freeman, E. Cook. *ROW 2:* P. Manning, M. Hunter, G. Strickler, J. Blanden, J. Summers, R. Calkins, N. Herchler, P. Sugerik. *ROW 3:* Miss Doris Prince, V. Wilber, J. Call, B. Watson, M. Tomlinson, J. A. Elliott, C. Glider, J. Berkmeyer, J. Martin.

Fourth graders look at exhibit.

Florence majorettes.

Work And Play At Brownhelm

The following are scenes found at Brownhelm Elementary just before the end of a lunch period and the beginning of classes.

At Camden During Lunch Period

These scenes of work and play are of children at Camden Elementary School during the early part of a lunch period.

Look Forward To May Festival

The Christmas and May Day programs are the two big events during the year for the Florence School children. Both are mainly musical and very colorful.

Pictured on this page are scenes from May Day and school activities.

The third grade children wind the May Pole.—James Cherry, student music teacher from Oberlin College.—Attendants to the May Queen.—Queen Bonnie Barefoot is being escorted to the throne by Gary Strickler.—Crownbearers: Jon Hunter and John Kinsley.—Jackie Barefoot and Sharon Kodysz bear the Princess's train.—Sixth Grade art exhibit.—Princess Leslie Normando.—Fifth Grade art exhibit.—Sixth Grade basketball Quintet.—First Graders play tonettes.—Fifth Grade basketball players.

Society is ever ready to worship success, But rarely forgives failure.
—Mme. Roland

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Scholarship Team goes to Baldwin Wallace

The scholarship team determined by the preliminary tests in April took the Final District-State Scholarship Tests at Baldwin Wallace College in May. Only two could represent the school in each academic subject.

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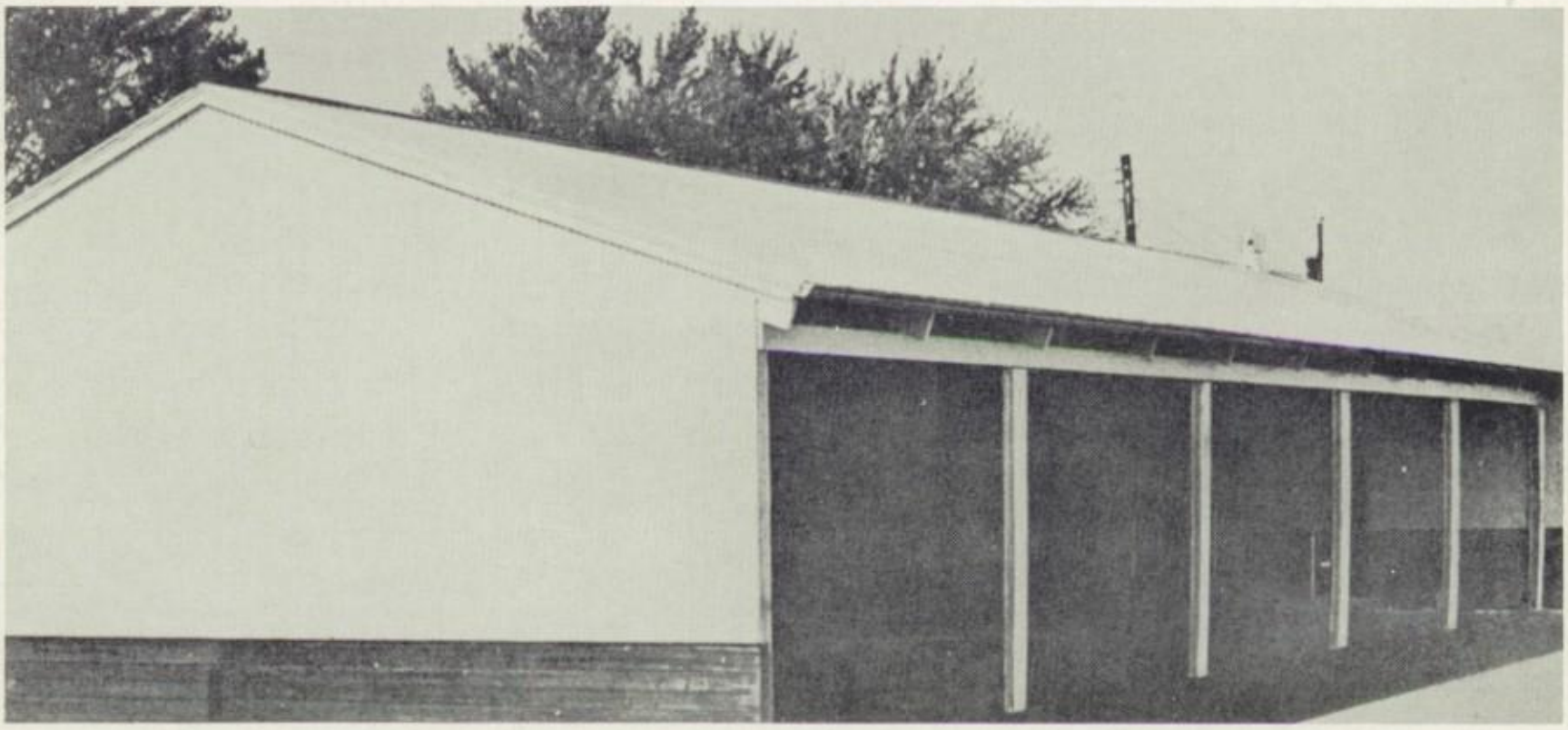

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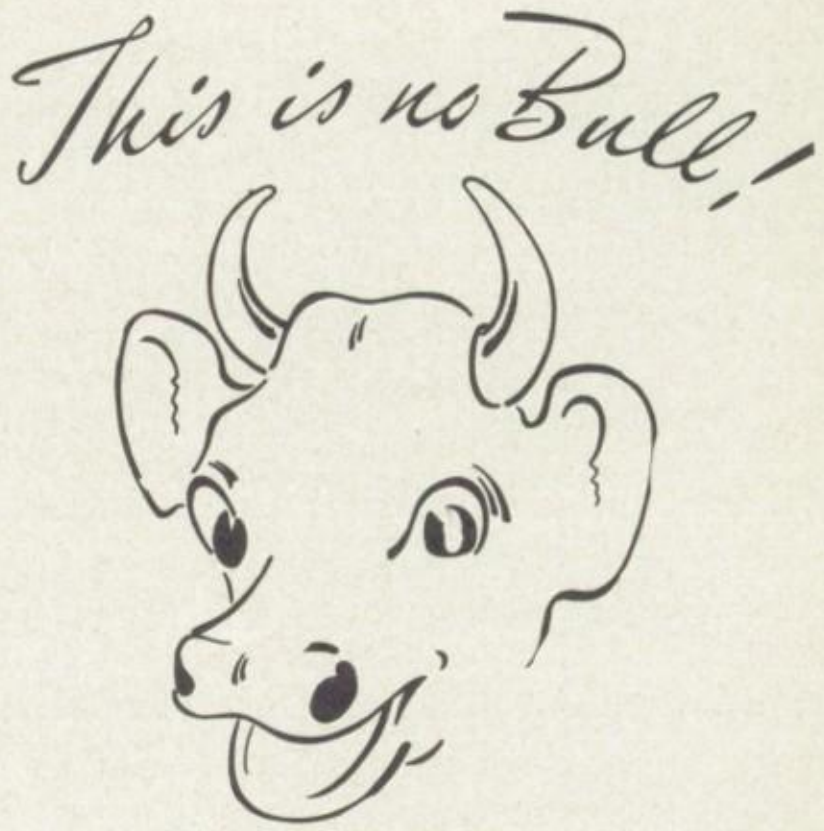

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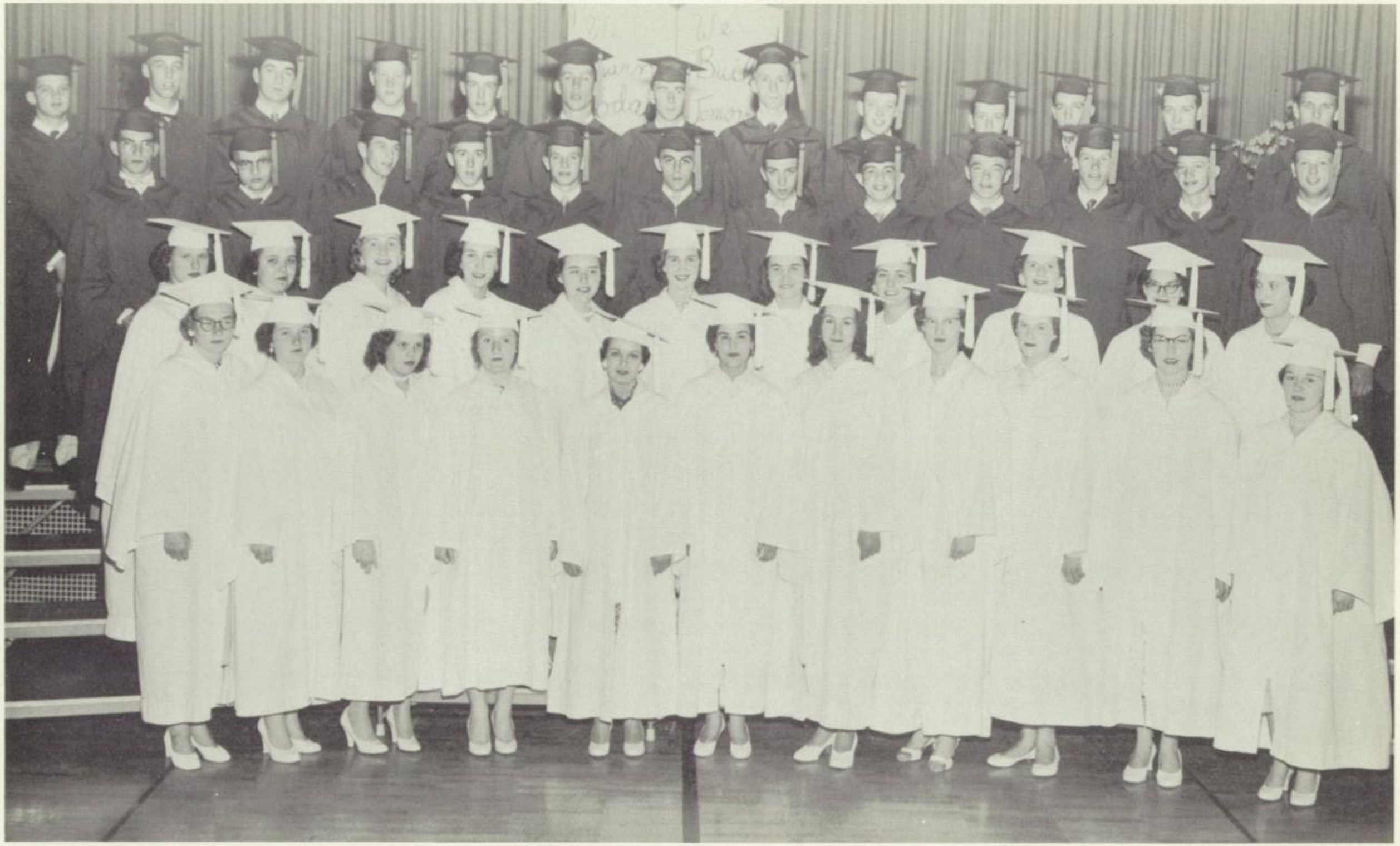

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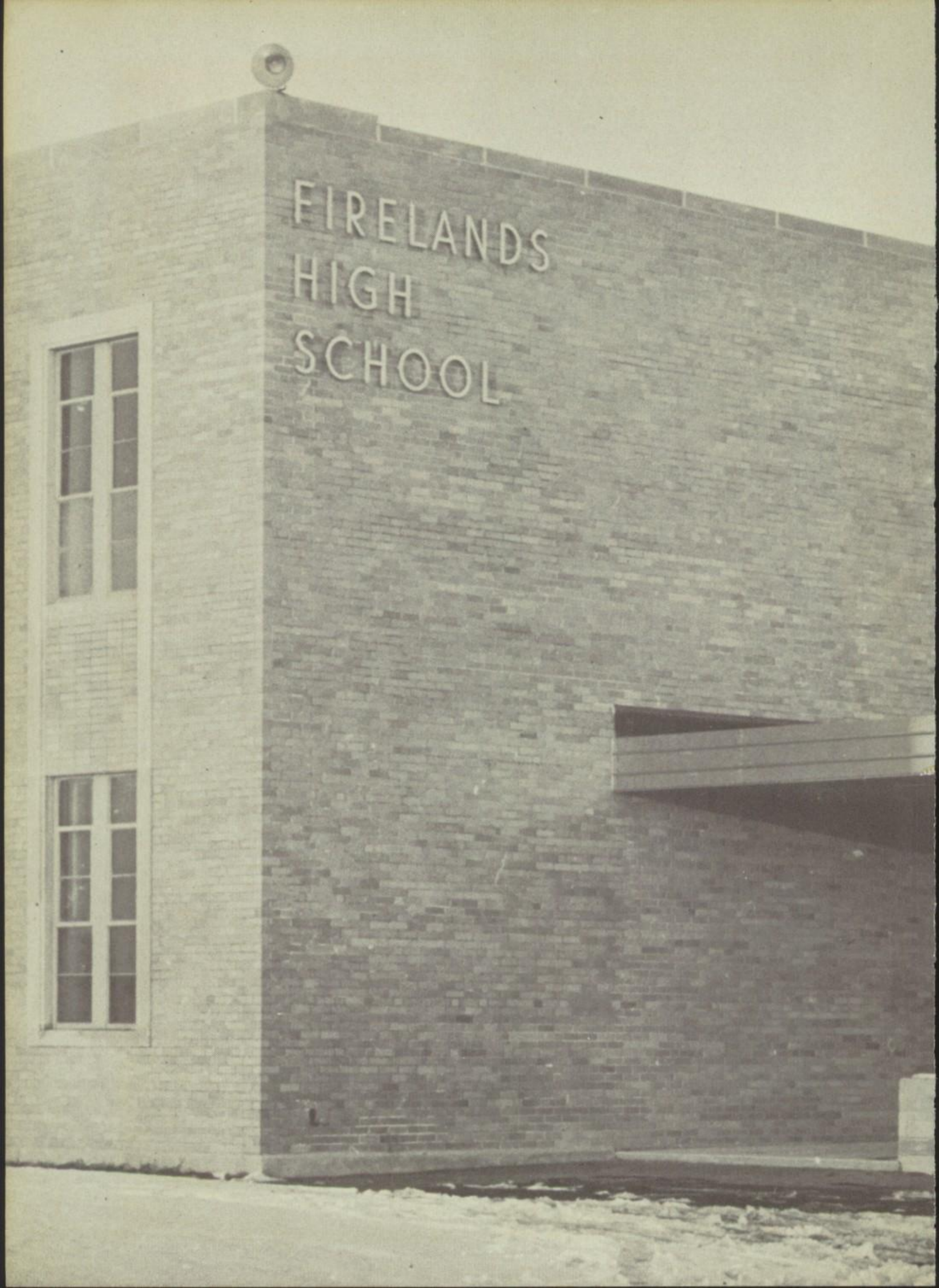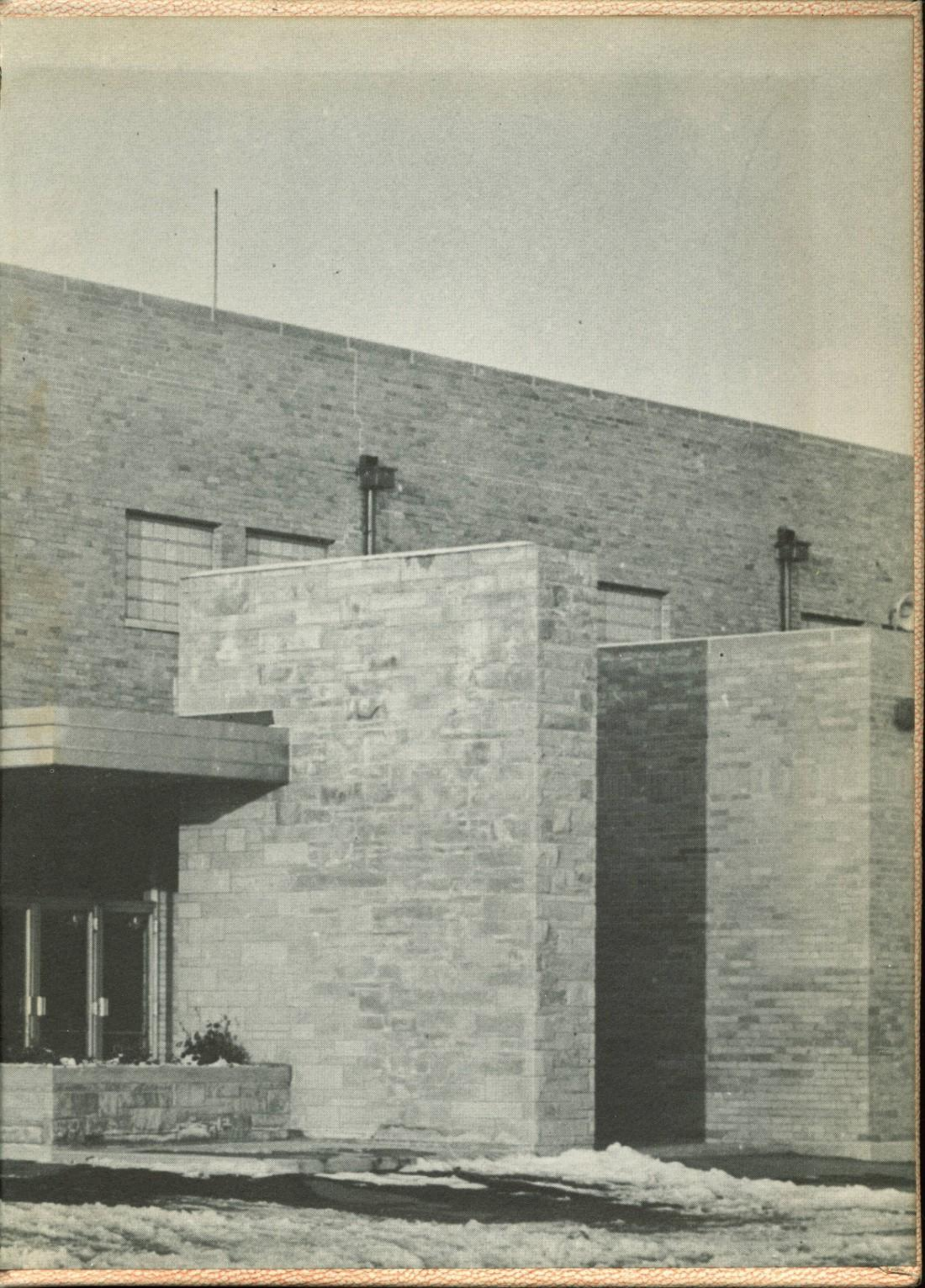
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